The Weather
Tonight, fair, colder
Thursday, cloudy, warmer
Temperatures today: Max., 27; Min., 26
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Roosevelt Might Put Relief In Hands of County Boards; U.S. to Train 20,000 Fliers

Police Continue Search for Three In 'Coster' Probe

Two Men and Woman, Accused of Blackmailing Thousands From Head of Drug Concern, Object of Hunt

Brandinos Held

Joseph Brandino and Sister Mary Are Held With Cragg on Federal Charge

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—Police continued their search today for blackmailers suspected of protecting at their own prices—the secret of F. Donald Coster's identity as Philip Musica, arch-swindler of the pre-war era.

Two men and a woman, accused of extorting thousands of dollars from the president of McKesson and Robbins, Inc., by preying upon his lifelong fear of the exposure that finally ruined him, were to be arraigned today.

While the roundup continued, the state attorney general's office resumed its inquiry into the views of McKesson & Robbins officials on the corporation president's activities, and their reactions at times when their suspicions were aroused.

Not until the day before he committed suicide at his Fairfield, Conn., mansion was Coster-Musica's true character generally known. Friends, relatives, extortioners, all kept their secret well, but he died leaving a lament that he had been blackmailed for years.

Those who knew him before he assumed the Coster personality were numerous. Among them, police declared, was Joseph Brandino, 61, arrested yesterday after a fight in which he brandished a cuspidor and a pine scantling.

Brandino, the police said, was in the cheese and olive business 40 years ago when Coster-Musica was engaged in the same trade and was sent to prison for bribing customs inspectors.

Acting U. S. Attorney Gregory F. Noonan, said Brandino and his sister Mary, 57, were Coster-Musica's partners in 1920 in the Adelphi Drug Company in Brooklyn, where he started the campaign which eventually gave him control of the nation's third largest drug concern.

Both Brandinos were booked on federal charges of using the mails to defraud and conspiring with others to extort from Coster-Musica, as was Walter H. Cragg, 76, disbarred lawyer and ex-convict who was serving a prison term in 1914 when Coster again was in the law's toils.

As to McKesson and Robbins, 'the slightest outside check would have disclosed the situation' in the crude drugs department of the firm which Coster-Musica directed, Assistant State Attorney General Ambrose V. McCall was told yesterday.

The witness, John H. McGloon, vice president of the firm in charge of accounting, also disclosed that Waddill Catchings, a former partner of Goldman, Sachs and Co., led an attack on Coster-Musica as early as 1934, but, accomplishing nothing, resigned as a McKesson and Robbins director.

McGloon himself said he accepted "in absolute faith' Coster-Musica's assurances of the department's soundness for nine years.

At Fairfield, Conn., Probate Judge Bradford Boardman appointed Mrs. Carol E. Jennings Coster today as executrix of the estate of her husband, F. Donald Coster-Musica, president of McKesson & Robbins, Inc., who committed suicide December 16 after being unmasked as an ex-convict and swindler.

Judge Boardman fixed the surety bond at $10,000.

Neither Mrs. Coster, sole beneficiary named in the late drug king's will, nor his mother, Mrs. Marie Girard-Musica, were present at the brief hearing.

Mrs. Coster was represented by her attorneys, Samuel and Philip Reien.

Ralph Piccolo, a representative of the Bridgeport office of the internal revenue department, also attended.

The terms of the will were announced last week.

Agreement Is Reached

Washington, Dec. 28 (AP)—Eddie Cantor, comedian, owes Uncle Sam $3,253 income tax for 1933—and not $15,371 as claimed by the Internal Revenue Bureau. This was the sum arrived at today by agreement of counsel for Cantor and the Board of Tax Appeals.

Proposes Amendment

Washington, Dec. 28 (AP)—Representative Gearhart (R.-Calif.) proposed today a constitutional amendment substituting 15 year terms for Supreme Court justices now appointed for life, "to insure the complete independence" of the tribunal from legislative or executive attack.

Boxley Gets 15 Days

William Boxley, 34, East Kingston negro, arrested Monday by Deputy Sheriff Edward Pierce on a petit larceny charge, was arraigned last night before Peace Justice John Acker. The justice found him guilty and imposed a fine of $15. In default of the fine Boxley was committed to the county jail for 15 days.

Extortion Charged

Walter H. Cragg (above), a disbarred lawyer, was arrested by federal authorities in New York city, charged with extortion and use of the mails to defraud in connection with the McKesson & Robbins investigation. He was the first of several taken into custody on suspicion of extorting money from the late F. Donald Coster, suicide head of the drug firm.

Aqueduct Project To Provide Work For 1,000 in Area

Scale of Wages for Unskilled Laborers Will Be 75 Cents Per Hour Is Stipulation of Union Officials

Jobs may be supplied for as many as 1,000 men from the Kingston area when the dam project of the Delaware-Rondout water works project of New York city opens, it was learned today.

Bids for the tunnel work will be opened shortly and contracts will be awarded but the big job which will require a large number of unskilled laborers as well as skilled tradesmen will be the main dam job at Lackawack.

Bids for one tunnel project in the lower end of the job have been received and contracts will shortly be awarded. This awarding will be followed by other tunnel jobs along the line of the aqueduct from New York to Lackawack out on each of these jobs there will be but comparatively few men employed outside the skilled rockmen. Approximately 200 laborers will be required on each of the several tunnel jobs but on the main dam job at Lackawack there will be a large force of skilled men and laborers.

The local Laborers' Union, which has headquarters in Newburgh and branch offices in Kingston, covers five counties in this area. The Kingston office anticipated supplying about 1,000 laborers for the Lackawack job when work opens up on the main contract. A like number will be supplied through the Newburgh office. It is anticipated that the work on the main dam job will get under way during the coming year, perhaps early this spring. The scale of wage for unskilled laborers as set by the union will begin at 75 cents an hour.

Construction work on the tunnel and main dam will keep pace so that both jobs will be completed about the same time and the latest addition to New York's water supply will be then ready for use. The time set for completion of the tunnel job has been fixed at 1943.

The five counties served by the local Laborers' Union are Ulster, Greene, Orange, Delaware and Sullivan counties.

Treasury Receipts

Washington, Dec. 28 (AP)—The position of the Treasury December 23: Receipts, $13,511,002.26; expenditures, $18,306,279.97; net balance, $3,166,095,992.49, including $2,536,924,993.52 working balance, customs receipts for the month, $20,831,201.82; receipts for the fiscal year (since July 1), $2,885,232,808.81; expenditures, $4,383,184,821.83; including $1,434,494,845.85 of emergency expenditures, excess of expenditures, $1,497,952,013.02; gross debt, $39,412,461,812.06, an increase of $1,021,919.79 over the previous day, gold assets, $14,465,009,098.85.

Arctic Cold Is Due To Lessen; Three Are Dead in State

Northwest Winds Carry Frigid Blasts to Eastern Seaboard; Sub-Zero Temperatures Are Prevalent in West

More Snow

Weather Bureau Predicts That More Snow Is in Prospect for State Areas

(By The Associated Press)

The arctic chill of the season's most intense cold wave was felt today from the Rockies to the Atlantic.

Northwest winds carried an icy sting to the eastern seaboard and the south today while the midcontinent continued to shiver under a blanket of cold that sent temperatures below zero.

Weather observers predicted a slow rise in temperatures for tomorrow as northwest winds abated but there was no promise of appreciable relief.

Wyoming, Colorado, Montana, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and the Dakotas were the principal cold spots on the weather map. Sub-zero temperatures were general in Minnesota and the Dakotas.

Scores of Christmas holiday visitors were still marooned in northern Michigan, where county officials prohibited travel on snow-blocked or ice-covered highways. Five deaths were attributed to the cold, and slippery highways. In some areas rural mail deliveries were cancelled.

The cold wave brought intense suffering to the poor in purse. Hundreds sought shelter at police stations in the larger cities. Thousands of homeless slept in New York subways or in crowded Bowery Missions and welfare department shelters. The metropolis missed the main force of the storm but temperatures fell far below freezing.

A temperature of 26 was recorded early today at the nation's capital and colder weather was in prospect. "Much colder" today was the general forecast in New England.

At Toledo the water supply approached normal after being heavily reduced by a steady wind that blew the water away from intake pipes in the Maumee river and into Lake Erie. The river level dropped 9½ feet.

Meanwhile bitter cold gripped upstate New York today on the heels of a gale and snowstorm which left three dead and widespread property damage.

Temperatures ranged from 10 degrees below zero at Owl's Head, the Adirondack "ice box," to 18 degrees above at Albany and Ithaca.

A snowfall of from two to three inches added to the discomfiture of shivering residents in central, western and northern New York, where a high wind whipped up drifts which impeded vehicular traffic. State police advised motorists "not to travel in the northern area."

Weather observers predicted the mercury would rise by tomorrow, with prospects of more snow.

A wind which reached a gale force of 66 miles per hour in Buffalo late yesterday had diminished today to 34 miles as temperatures rose slowly after an overnight minimum of 13 degrees above zero.

Snowplows worked through the night to keep roads open in some sections of northern New York where light snow was piled high by wind. Telephone and telegraph wires were reported blown down.

Rochester, with a minimum 14 degrees above zero, reported a 40 mile per hour wind.

A bright sun aided a slow mercury rise in Albany. Binghamton reported 16 above, Watertown and Malone an even zero. Jamestown eight above and Canton from above.

Dr. Todd Dies

Cleveland, Dec. 28 (AP)—Dr. T. Wingate Todd, 53, internationally known anatomist, died today after a heart attack. Dr. Todd, director of the Brush Foundation and head of the department of anatomy at Western Reserve University announced this month foundation scientists had found women could determine periods of fertility by keeping daily temperature charts.

Waves Batter Building

Waves estimated to be at least 27 feet high battered the concrete foundation of a summer restaurant, the Alhambra, at Buffalo, N. Y., as a gale off Lake Erie swept the vicinity. A strong west wind so retarded flow of the Niagara river that water level was raised 12 feet in the lower river and four in the upper.

Hull Warns American Nations

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Says Solidarity Pact Now Must Be Put to Test

Lima, Peru, Dec. 28 (AP)—United States Secretary Hull sailed homeward from the eighth Pan-American conference today after a reserved warning last night that the 21 American republics must now put their declarations of solidarity to the test.

In much of the world 'trust in any form of agreement has completely vanished,' the secretary said, warning that 'the utmost degree of vigilance' might be required in carrying out the conference decisions—outstanding of which was the affirmation of a firm front against foreign aggression.

The secretary declared his faith the republics would carry out their program but spoke of the "test of grave events' along with the 'constancy and a [illegible] in upholding the 'principles on which peace and well being under law and order must rest.'

Unlike previous Pan-American conferences no treaties or conventions resulted that would require consent of the United States senate. All the conference decisions were in resolutions and declarations which will be published by the state department.

The secretary said that the declarations rather than treaties were wise when matters dealt with are of general character and of political nature. The people of the American republics have a proud history of the use of declarations. Their national life has grown in and out of declarations of independence which mark their birth."

Hull spoke at a banquet given by President Benavides of Peru after the conference, opened December 9, was adjourned by Dr. Carlos Concha, Peruvian foreign minister.

Hull and the remainder of his delegation, except Alf M. Landon who flew home, spent the night aboard the ship, Santa Maria, to avoid an early morning scramble.

Five Convictions In Mail Fraud

Federal Jury to Pass Sentences January 5 in Indiana Credit Corporation Trial

Indianapolis, Dec. 28 (AP)—A federal jury convicted five officers of the Continental Credit Corporation of Winchester, Ind., and associated firms today of using the mails to defraud in schemes which the government contended cost midwestern business houses and individuals approximately $1,200,000.

John W. Moore, Sr., Continental's president and his son John W. Moore Jr., secretary-treasurer, were convicted on all 12 counts of the indictments against them. Maximum sentences of 57 years are possible in their cases.

Kenneth F. Kimball, president of the Kim-Murph Company of Lansing, Mich., and R. S. Phillips, former secretary treasurer of the Mineral Felt Company of Toledo, O., were convicted on two counts. They can be sentenced to maximum terms of seven years.

Russell E. Wise of Union City, Continental's attorney, was convicted on two counts and a maximum sentence of 10 years is possible.

All of the defendants were convicted of conspiracy, excepting Wise.

Federal Judge Robert C. Baltzell announced he would pass sentences January 5.

The judge indicated two other defendants who pleaded guilty would be sentenced with the others. They are Hiram Browne, executive vice president of the Mineral Felt Company, and A. Harry Eikenberry, an official of Lang Industries, Inc., of Muncie, Ind.

The jury brought in a sealed verdict late last night.

The government contended Continental kept money obtained by selling notes for customers, "kited" checks and issued worthless warehouse receipts through connivance with the associated firms.

Favorable Trade Balance

Tokyo, Dec. 28 (AP)—The finance ministry announced today that Japan had a favorable trade balance this year for the first time since 1931. Exports exceeded imports by 13,000,000 yen (about $3,500,000).

Supervisors Meet Here Thursday

Final Session Will Be Held at Court House at 4 P. M. for Windup of Business

The final meeting of the board of supervisors will be held at the court house Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when the concluding business of the annual session will be transacted and the session adjourned sine die.

A budget $75,420.64 less than the previous year has been adopted and it will be necessary to raise on the county the sum of $795,855.30 in 1939 taxes to run the county business. This is considerably less than the budget of 1931, when $1,123,373.87 was raised and the budget for $1,707,716.44 raised in 1932. In 1933 the budget began to drop but has again crept upward since because of increased relief funds necessary.

Following the final session of the board, the Supervisors' Association annually holds its banquet. This year the banquet will be held at the Hotel Stuyvesant at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening.

Unharmed but Hysterical

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 28 (AP)—Police who found brown-haired Jane Akowsky in a mountain farm house three nights after she left home awaited for her to regain her composure today before questioning her about her Christmas eve disappearance. Detective Captain William H. Peters said the 17-year-old girl was unharmed but hysterical when a posse found her last night in a farm house eight miles from here. He said she would not be questioned until she was calmer.

Chrysler Improves

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—Walter P. Chrysler, Sr., automobile magnate, was described by associates today as "still a very sick man but slowly improving." Stricken seven months ago, Chrysler's illness was diagnosed as a "circulatory attack."

Alarm Is Sent Out

Norristown, Pa., Dec. 28 (AP)—A state-wide police alarm was out today for Marjorie Glisson, 17-year-old high school student, who has been missing since Christmas Day.

Executive Program Gives Indication Roosevelt Plans to Keep United States High in Defense

College Tryout

About 300 College Students Would Start Training This Spring

Washington, Dec. 28 (AP)—President Roosevelt's plans to train 20,000 civilian aviators a year provided another indication today of his determination to keep the United States high in the ranks of world air powers.

The program, as disclosed at a White House press conference and by the civil aeronautics authority, contemplates experimental training of about 300 students in a dozen colleges this spring.

If Congress votes sufficient funds, the training will be offered at several hundred colleges and universities in the fall. Mr. Roosevelt estimated it would cost $9,800,000 for a year's schooling for 20,000 pilots.

The cream of the new fliers, under tentative plans, would find opportunities for military careers in the expanded army and navy air forces.

"Only by such an approach," said the civil aeronautics authority, "can the United States adequately safeguard itself against the vast aerial militarization programs now being pressed with fanatic zeal by foreign powers."

The pilot training project was the first of the President's far-reaching rearmament plans to be made public in detail.

Steps already have been taken for a parallel training of aviation mechanics. In the view of some military officials, mechanics are even more immediately essential for a greatly expanded American air force such as Mr. Roosevelt is believed to be ready to propose to Congress.

In general, the civil aeronautics authority is to direct the training of pilots, and the National Youth Administration the schooling of mechanics.

Other parts of the aviation program which have come to light in piecemeal fashion are:

Expansion of the army air corps to a force of upwards of 10,000 planes, including training planes, craft assigned to the National Guard, and planes held in reserve.

Expansion of the commercial aircraft industry and its maintenance at top capacity with commercial domestic and export orders as well as military contracts.

The United States now has about 2,000 civilian and military pilots of all degrees of proficiency, plus some 33,000 enrolled as students. The students include about 7,000 who were given assistance from the Interior Department's vocational training funds this year, and many others whose training is considered desultory.

Rescue Crews Busy

Kirkland Lake, Ontario, Dec. 28 (Canadian Press)—Rescue crews far underground worked today to release four miners trapped by a terrific air blast which shook the Lake Shore Gold Mine in northeastern Ontario last night. The four were believed to be still alive. Many workers suffered from shock and required medical treatment.

Two Women Rescued

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—Two women—one blind and crippled and the other 103 years old—were rescued today when a fire spread from a Brooklyn junkyard to a four-story apartment house and routed 26 families into cold.

'Can Opener' Robber

Philadelphia, Dec. 28 (AP)—Police arrested a man today they said used a can opener and baby carriage in four burglaries. They said the opener was used to pry windows and the carriage to cart away loot hidden under blankets.

High Wind Exposes Rondout Creek Bed

The cold, biting northwest wind that swept over Kingston this morning lowered the waters of the Rondout creek to such an extent that the ferry and several barges berthed at the dock at the foot of Broadway were resting on creek bottom, and along the slip between the dock and the Island Dock the creek bottom lay exposed to such an extent that boys were walking on the creek bottom.

Old rivermen say that it was the lowest water in years in the Rondout creek. The only deep water for navigation was in the channel which was dug out this summer by the war department.

The low water did not interfere with the movements of the Rhinebeck ferry which ran on regular schedule. The ferry berth is lower down the creek where the water is deeper than it is off the foot of Broadway.

France Sends Unit Of Senegalese to Djibouti Garrison

Reinforcements Sent When Reports Are Current That Italian Troops Are Massed on Border

Paris, Dec. 28 (AP)—The ministry of colonies announced today that a detachment of Senegalese troops had been sent to strengthen the Djibouti garrison.

The reinforcements were requested by Governor General Hubert Deschamps, officials said, to 'assist in maintaining order' amid reports that Italian troops were being concentrated near the French Somaliland port.

Colonial authorities estimated between 1,200 and 1,500 Senegalese were sent to Djibouti.

The French press and the public were inclined to regard the Italian campaign for Djibouti as a bluff and to have confidence in France's ability to defend her colonies.

Several conservative newspapers limited their comment solely to a government communique denying reports of Italian troop concentration in Ethiopia and Eritrea, near the border of French Somaliland.

The left-wing press the extreme right and some centrists warned the government against capitulation to the Italian demands — unofficial and made through the controlled Fascist press.

Government spokesmen, meanwhile, left no doubt of Premier Daladier's determination to lead the nation to war if Italy tried to seize Djibouti.

As a symbol of French defiance the 1,969-ton dispatch boat D'Iberville arrived before the Suez Canal today on its way to Djibouti from Beirut, Syria.

France's famed Foreign Legion formally opened a vital new military road from inner Algeria to the inland frontier of Italian Libya. In event of war France could use the Foreign Legion and other troops to smash into Libya from the rear.

It was learned that Italian military caravans had occupied and had been holding for 18 months some oases in the disputed, arid frontier area between France's Somaliland and Italy's Ethiopia.

The foreign ministry announced that no official confirmation could be found for press reports of mass concentrations of Fascist troops along the Ethiopian border facing Somaliland.

French army, navy and air force officials were cool despite the wild howl set up by the French press. They said their colonial defenses were ready for anything Italy could offer.

President Considers Creation of Non-Partisan Groups for Purpose of Checking on 'Politics in Relief'

Right of Appeal

Idea Is to Allow Workers Opportunity to Report Alleged Discrimination

Washington, Dec. 28 (AP)—President Roosevelt was reported today to be considering creation of non-partisan county boards to act on complaints of "politics in relief."

A well-informed person said that although details have not been completely worked out, the President might endorse such a system to meet criticism directed at WPA during the recent election campaign.

This became known at a time when the Senate campaign expenditures committee was working at top speed to get its recommendations ready for the opening of Congress next week. The committee investigated charges that WPA funds were used to influence the results of various primary and general elections.

A person in close touch with the White House said that what the President had in mind was appointment of men in each county in the United States to sift complaints of discrimination in the administration of relief. The groups would serve without pay.

Any relief worker who thought he had been denied equal treatment could appeal to the county board, which would pass on the justice of his case and take any appropriate action.

The President was represented as feeling that details should be worked out by Congress. It was understood, however, that the plan would not contemplate shifting to the counties the responsibility for actual administration of relief funds, which would remain under the federal government.

Returning members of Congress also have advanced several suggestions for preventing political use of relief funds.

Senator Hatch (D.-N. M.) endorsed a proposal by Senator Byrnes (D.-S. C.) to prevent members of Congress from helping to obtain approval for any WPA or PWA project. Hatch said he would like to go further and prohibit congressmen from endorsing candidates for jobs with relief agencies.

He said he again would propose legislation to prohibit political activity by federal employes and to prohibit intimidation or coercion of relief workers. Senator Hayden (D.-Ariz.), who opposed the Hatch amendment last session, said he believed a modified version might be accepted by the new Congress.

Meanwhile Senator Adams (D.-Colo.), chairman of the subcommittee on relief appropriations, predicted the anticipated special appropriation for WPA would total between $650,000,000 and $750,000,000. This money would be expected to last until July 1.

May Aid Postman

Chicago, Dec. 28 (AP)—The Federal court decided today to look for possible extenuating circumstances in the case of Joseph Yunevich, the postman, who threw away third class mail because his feet were tired. Yunevich pleaded guilty to a charge of destroying mail, and Judge Michael L. Igoe ordered the probation department to investigate his case by January 16. Prosecutor Martin Ward said Yunevich, a postman for 13 years, admitted that on several occasions he discarded circulars and other matter that seemed unimportant to him.

$100 Reward Offered

Rye, N. Y., Dec. 28 (AP)—A $100 reward was offered today for a red candle. Although it stood in the glare of floodlights, the candle—a 12-foot sheet metal community Christmas taper—was stolen from the village green here. The public theft annoyed officials so much they posted a reward more valuable than the candle. "Woe to the thieves if we catch them," said Village Clerk William H. Selzer. "They will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law."

Drive Is Continued

Hendaye, France (at the Spanish Frontier), Dec. 28 (AP)—Insurgent armies were reported today to be continuing their drive into Catalonia "on all fronts" along the 75-mile line between Tremp and Ribarroja, on the River Ebro.

'Like a New Man'

Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 28 (AP)—Free at last from the fear of being deported to Germany to face possible execution or imprisonment, Paul List said today he felt "like a new man" as he returned to work in his garage.

'First Line of Defense'

Nation's Public Schools Described Thus by Dr. G. M. Wiley at Syracuse Convention of Associated Academic Principals; Asks Action Against Quacks With Pet Ideas

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 28 (AP)—The nation's public schools were described today as the "first line of defense" in the war against the powers seeking to overthrow democracy.

In an address before the Associated Academic Principals of New York State, Dr. George M. Wiley, associated commissioner of education for the state, urged action against "quacks with pet panaceas."

"Democracy," he said, "is on the defensive. America's first line of defense is the public school. If democracy is worth while, its tenets must not only be taught but stressed, in order that the responsibility of the individual to the democratic way of life may be recognized."

U. S. Senator Gerald P. Nye, North Dakota Republican, at the annual banquet last night, urged that Americans insist that the United States "get out of this business of arming the world."

Suggests Lightning Secret

Government Scientist, Dr. H. L. Curtis, Thinks Key to Electrical Mystery May Be Found in Globules of Water; Tells Method of Developing Idea Leading to Theory

Washington, Dec. 28. (AP)—A government scientist suggested today that the secret of lightning may be found in the globules of water vapor which compose a cloud.

Dr. H. L. Curtis of the Bureau of Standards told the American Physical Society he developed the idea in experiments to determine the power losses sustained when electricity was passed through a condenser. He found that power was gained rather than lost when the gas between the condenser's plates was filled with humid air.

Curtis offered the theory that some of the energy in the water vapor in the air was transformed directly into electrical energy.

If this happened in an electrical condenser, it also could happen in a cloud, he added.

"If you have a quarter of an inch of rainfall over a square mile, there would be energy enough to produce 2,500 lightning strokes," he said.

Nichols Writes Of Gas Warfare

Editor, Freeman,
Sir:

Relative to your editorial "The Gas Terror," December 20th issue, your attention, and that of your readers, is called to the fact that gas warfare is not so well understood and hence has been subject to much misrepresentation. If every intelligent man and woman would make it a point to understand what is horribly described as "inhuman" gas warfare and easily procured facts, the citizen would be more able to plainly understand chemical warfare. That open-minded attitude would prove more value in future than in 1917-18 when we knew little or nothing about gas warfare.

Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, administrator of veterans affairs, in a speech to graduates of 11th Field Officers Class (1938) at the Chemical Warfare School, Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland, had this to say in part "Shortly after the World War we learned through Gen. Gilchrist's exhaustive studies that much of this psychological fear was unwarranted . . . showed quite conclusively that gas wounds lacked fatal effect of wounds inflicted with other weapons of war. Tens of thousands of cases were examined. These showed proportionate death liability, based on casualties in British, French and American armies to have been 12 to 1 for ordinary wounds over gas wounds. In other words the soldier wounded in one of these armies by gas, had 12 times the chance of survival over a soldier wounded by shot and shell. The German army ratio was greater, 15 to 1.

"During the 20 years . . . since the war, other detailed and informative studies have been made of thousands of cases of our gas casualties by officers of Chemical Warfare Service and officials of Veterans' Administration

"Among other things disclosed are that exposures to war gases does not increase the tendence toward pulmonary tuberculosis as an after effect. This upset a widely current belief." As a matter of cold fact, if we desire the truth to be known, the percentage of tuberculosis cases among gassed men proved in exhaustive studies to be less than among men not gassed.

Further cold analysis proved that gas cases rarely developed unforseen complications after a period of years. To those who want further detailed information they will find Gen. Hines address in official October, 1938, "Chemical Warfare Bulletin," a copy of which the writer has on file along with other C.W.S. data. Our Ulster county physicians would after reading the "Freeman editorial" do well to peruse the article, "Some Medical Aspects of Chemical Warfare," by Lt. Col. S. A. White, M. C., which also appears in same CWS bulletin.

To those of us who saw at first hand the development of "chemical warfare service" and part of that service which produced quietly (without fanfare or reception committees) efficient gas protection for our army as well as some outstanding hitherto believed impossible contributions to chemistry and chemical industry, the present conception of average citizen on this subject is only due to fact that accurate information has not been given to him as a matter of public welfare locally. The writer believes that aside from any other matter the study of European and Asiatic affairs should convince the average conservative citizen that while we should all earnestly seek peace yet to keep informed on development of your own country's chemical warfare service and our American chemical industry. Would you for purely selfish reasons have your country in same state of unpreparedness along chemical lines as we were in 1917? Our chemists have gone a long way since then to make you more contented in your home, business or plant and from test tubes of your chemist your medical and sanitary conditions have been met in check of disease, etc. As long as a 2 x 4 room exists plus a chemist and a test tube, you will have nucleus of a chemical warfare service in your midst, no matter what country you live in and where quite common chemicals can be bought easily. Any high school student interested in chemistry, even as a junior, understands the basic simple rule of transferring chemicals into gases.

When our local citizens sanely investigate chemical warfare and get rid of those "fears" of its use on civilian population as misguided alarmists spread about and understand the very simple precautions necessary for protection, they will not only have no panicky feeling but will be thankful that in our country we have the chemists and chemical industries second to none. Without public support and honest analysis of the subject all progress stands still whether its local government or national defense. It is up to you to decide that question today. Thank you.

GEO. W. NICHOLS
Kingston, N. Y., R 3,
December 23, 1938.

Rear Admiral Martel Dies

Lille, France, Dec. 28 (AP)—Rear Admiral Emile Gabriel Martel, 58, died last night after a short illness.

NEW PALTZ

New Paltz, Dec. 27—A carol sing led by Miss Dorothy Hummel of New Paltz Normal School was one of the features at a buffet supper given Thursday night by Evelyn and Esther Lacy of Poughkeepsie. The decorations were in keeping with the holiday season. There were 11 guests present.

The junior choir of the Reformed Church sang carols at the county home Christmas eve.

Don Hoffmann of South Oakwood Terrace is spending the holidays with his grandparents in Indiana.

Dr. and Mrs. Virgil B. DeWitt entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harvey DeWitt of Alligerville.

Mrs. William Rhodrian is entertaining her daughter and family from New York.

Doris Schneider, Catherine Burleigh and Bertha Willis called on Dorothy DeGroff at Plutarch Sunday afternoon.

Miss Blanche Gulnac arrived home Thursday night to spend the holiday vacation.

Omicron Nu, senior honorary society in Home Economics at Cornell University, pledged 10 students. Among them is Miss Anna DuBois, College of Home Economics, of New Paltz.

Mr. and Mrs. John Christensen and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gulnac attended the Christmas exercises at the Malden-on-Hudson school Thursday night where Miss Blanche Gulnac is a teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Harvey left Friday for Florida where they will spend a few weeks vacation.

Miss Hilda Gerald of Lynbrook, L. I., is spending the holidays at her home on South Chestnut street.

Jay Lawrence has been confined to his home by illness.

Miss Nellie Cole spent last Sunday with friends in Kingston.

Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Jenkins and daughter, Margaret, of North Carolina have arrived in New Paltz to spend the holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs. Josiah P. LeFevre.

Norman Baker is ill in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Elting entertained the following guests for Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sears, William and Sherburne Sears, Mrs. Carrie Ostrander and Mrs. Emily Hasbrouck of Highland.

METTACAHONTS

Mettacahonts, Dec. 28—Miss Tessie Wood of Ellenville spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Eli Osterhoudt.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Depuy and daughter, Jennie, entertained on Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Depuy and son and Mr. and Mrs. Merton Depuy of New Paltz, Mrs. Joseph Hogan of Long Island, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Depuy and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rider and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Rider and Aaron Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. William Miller and daughter, Viola, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and Mae Miller of Accord.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kelder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Osterhoudt.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Kelder and daughter, Janis, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gazlay and family of Accord.

Mrs. Ella Wood and son, Arthur, entertained on Christmas Keller Wood of Chester, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bell and son of Kerhonkson, Miss Jennie Osterhoudt of Kripplebush, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Osterhoudt, Miss Olive Osterhoudt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Osterhoudt, Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Osterhoudt and daughter, Doris.

Mrs. Phoebe Krom and son, Harold, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mackey and daughter, Mabel.

Eli Rider was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Osterhoudt and family Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Henderson of Whitfield, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Osterhoudt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Osterhoudt and Mrs. Ella Wood called on Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kelder and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Kelder and daughter Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Fred Hendrickson of Accord spent Monday with Mrs. Floyd Chrisey and family.

Preston Enderly spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Enderly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Chrisey and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Chrisey of Rochester Center.

ACCORD.

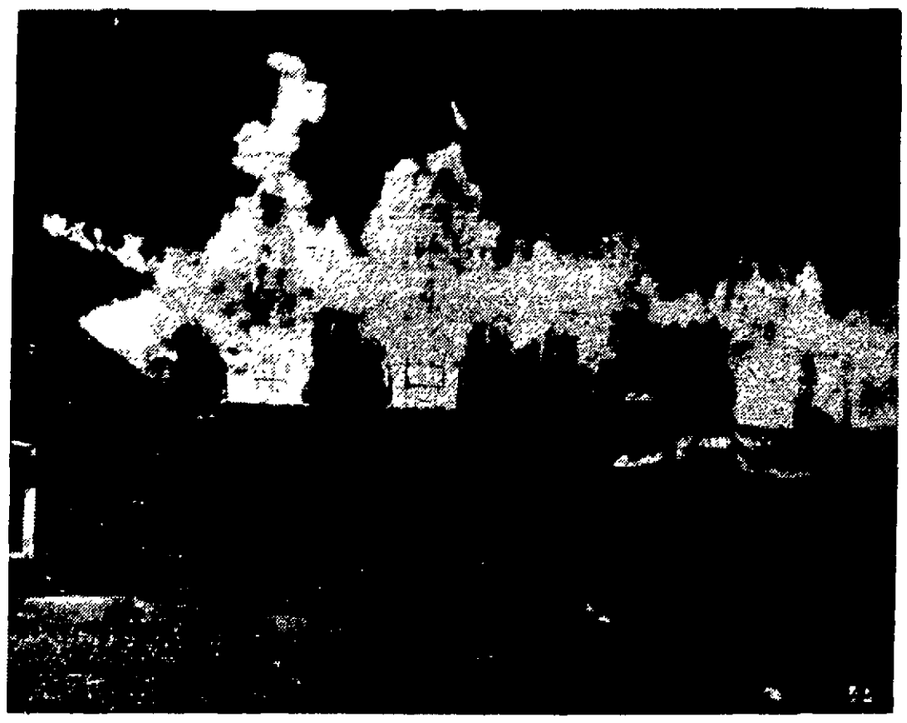
Accord, Dec. 27.—Miss Daisy L. Rider and Bingo Hutchins, interlocutor of the 4-S minstrels, attended the Christmas exercises at Rock Hill school house on Thursday evening and also the Accord grade school exercises held in the Rochester Reformed Church on Friday evening.

Warren Lawrence of Springfield College, Springfield, Mass., and Donald Schoonmaker and Pierce Palmer, both of New Paltz Normal School are spending their Christmas vacation at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Enderly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and Mae entertained Mr. and Mrs William Miller and daughter, Viola, and Mrs. L. M. Decker Christmas Day.

PENNY FIRECRACKER STARTS EXPLOSION AND FIRE



A penny firecracker, set off in a storehouse at Lynchburg, Va., containing fireworks, caused an explosion that shook the downtown section of the city and was followed by fire. Flames destroyed the automobile repair shop shown above, and burned four persons, three so seriously that they required hospital treatment.

HIGHLAND NEWS

Highland, Dec. 27.—Sergeant and Mrs. Hulse and son, Richard, leave Saturday for Sidney, where Sergeant Hulse will spend two weeks' vacation.

Leonard Gunsch of Red Creek is home for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gunsch.

Edward Jacobs, who attends school in Ohio, has arrived for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jacobs, on South street.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sheeley and Mrs. Louise Sheeley spent Christmas with Mrs. Allen Sheeley's parents in Suffern.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Palmer and son are Christmas dinner guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Florence Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilklow entertained a family party, which included 21 members of their family. They were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilklow and family of Torrington, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Frank DuBois and two daughters of Gardiner, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Farnham and son, Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilklow and three sons, Mrs. and Mrs. Fred Wilklow and Miss Freda Wilklow.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sears, Sherbourne and William Sears, Carrie Ostrander and Mrs. Emily Hasbrouck were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Elting in New Paltz on Christmas Monday.

Miss Mary Gates has left for her home near Watertown for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Langdon of Bloomfield, N. J., are guests in the home of Albert C. Langdon until January 3.

Postmaster George E. Dean reports the largest amount of both incoming and outgoing mail during the nearly five years he has been in office. The employes are not taking their usual time out during the day and were forced to work last Sunday and late in the evening to clean up each day's accumulation.

Miss Eliza Ives Raymond spent the Christmas holiday with a party of 16 at Round Lake.

Reception of members will form a part of the service in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock. Two communicants classes have been conducted by the pastor during the month.

Gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Kurtz for Christmas were Gordon Kurtz, of Jamaica, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Heaton and family, of Clintondale and Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Kurtz and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Cotant entertained Albert Bingham and Miss Laura Marshall, of Poughkeepsie, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Taylor and son of Bethel, Conn., and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Salomon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Muller of Melonville are spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Muller.

Miss Lucile Clark, daughter of Edwin Clark, is seriously ill in St. Francis Hospital, Poughkeepsie.

Miss Helena Schoonmaker is entertaining Wednesday evening from 9 until 12 o'clock at a coffee klach at her home on Linwood avenue. Receiving with Miss Schoonmaker will be the Misses Dorothy Graham and Grace Smith while Mrs. John Graham and Mrs. Schoonmaker will pour. The decorations will be in keeping with the season. Those to be present include the Misses Charlotte Burton, Dorothy Donovan, Dorothy Graham, Grace Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woolsey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cummings, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Stockholm Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clarke, Sherburne and Williams Sears, Vincent Hopper, Virgil Tompkins, George Schoonmaker, Alfred Hopper, Ernest Ostrander, West Park; Mr. and Mrs. John Short, Newburgh; John Van Benschoten, Poughkeepsie; Henry Dean, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spalt, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Tongue, Mr. and Mrs. William Wonderly, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tinney, Port Ewen; Mr. and Mrs. C. Lee Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Metcalf, Mr. and Mrs. James Mann, Donald Buswell, Earl Tongue, Catherine Dayton, Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bybee, Wawarsing; Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Luther, Middletown; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clothe, Grahamsville; Samuel P. Brush, Southold, L. I.

Those at the Christmas dinner party on Monday with Dr. and Mrs. Chauncey Ayres will be Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Behn of Indian Orchard, Mass., who will be house guests for a week, William Sobel of New York, James Mack, Misses Gertrude and Catherine Mack, Mrs. Rose Dooley, Miss Mary Mack and John Mack.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burke and daughters spent the holidays with relatives in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorin E. Osterhoudt and Charles Osterhoudt were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Scott in Poughkeepsie.

Sherburne Sears has been working in the postoffice during the rush.

Trooper James Benson of Sidney is spending the holiday week with his relatives, Mrs. John Daly and Mrs. James Smith.

Mrs. Ennis Wood is a patient in the Kingston Hospital where she is suffering from a hip injury received from a fall while visiting in Clintondale.

Mrs. Rose Matthews and Hilton Matthews of Kingston, Mrs. Ethel Graham and Mrs. William Waterbury were Christmas Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Matthews on White street.

The annual Christmas party held in the Rathgeb Knitting mill took place Thursday noon when the employers, Messrs. Clarence W. and Irving R. Rathgeb served a lunch to about 50 employes and presented each with a two-pound box of candy. Gifts were exchanged between the employes and they in turn presented the Messrs. Rathgeb with gifts.

The village is gay and festive in its decorations for the holiday season. The two brightly lighted trees at the entrance to the G. W. Pratt home stand out in a gay welcome. A porch tree at the Dr. Ayers home is bright with lights. A tree at the George Hildebrand home has a majority of blue lights. In the peak of the home of Eugene Noe is a mass of greens and Santa Claus nestled among them and there are many lights. The fire house has three lighted trees and strings of bright lights outline the front of the building. A large tree in the yard of Lloyd Post American Legion is lighted. The lights at the Presbyterian manse glow a welcome among the greens. A big tree in the yard of the A. C. Longdon home on Grand street is a pleasure for all the children in the neighborhood. Other homes carry the Christmas wreaths and symbols of the holidays.

HURLEY

Hurley, Dec. 27—Mr. and Mrs. Wessles TenEyck and family are spending the holidays with Mrs. TenEyck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rathcliff in Staten Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gustafson spent the holiday week-end in New Jersey with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Vogt, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green, of Kingston at Christmas dinner on Sunday.

Edward Rowse, of New York spent the Christmas holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Rowse. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Decker were also their guests for Christmas Day.

The many friends of Mrs. L. C. Dixon will be glad to know that she returned to her home from the Kingston Hospital on Saturday.

Miss Ruth Dixon is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Dixon during the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Myer entertained at Christmas dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Myer, Mr. and Mrs. Minard Elmendorf, Miss Henrietta Myer and Miss Luella Snyder.

The local school closed Thursday with a Christmas party. School will resume on Tuesday, January 3.

Minard Myer is ill at his home. Peter Elmendorf is also ill.

Mrs. M. T. DeWitt with her daughters, Miss Anna and Miss Sarah DeWitt were the dinner guests on Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Von der Linden, in Rhinebeck.

Mrs. William Simpson, of Hackensack visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Elmendorf during the holidays.

Miss Sarah Elmendorf spent the week-end with the DeWitt family in Kingston where they are living on Green street during the winter months.

Mrs. Edwin C. Angell gave a Christmas party on last Wednesday for her son Ted. Games were played and refreshments were served. His guests included Marilyn Vogt, Patricia Dixon, Joan TenEyck, Bobby Mitchell, Ernie Myer, Tono Hickey, Jackie Hickey, Harold Edelmann and Peter Angell.

Several from here attended the candlelight service held on Christmas night in the North Marbletown Church.

HAPPY MOTHER GETS BACK BABY

Mrs. James Brady, wife of a WPA worker, knew one of the greatest joys that can come to a mother—that of getting her baby back after the little tot had been missing 48 hours. She's shown with the baby, two-year-old Patricia, who was returned to her San Francisco home by friends of the family who said they "got lost" after taking the child to buy her a present.

Fleet Battle Exercises

San Pedro, Calif., Dec. 28 (AP).—Gray ships of war moving out of southern California naval bases today reveal that the United States fleet is girded for five months of intense battle exercises. Operations will extend down the west coast, around the Panama Canal zone, through the Caribbean Sea and up the Atlantic coast from January to June.

Fire Routes Guests

International Falls, Minn., Dec. 28 (AP).—Fire that destroyed three frame buildings, housing two hotels and four taverns, routed about 125 persons early today in 20 degrees below zero weather.

ROSENDALE

Rosendale, Dec. 28—There was a meeting of the Rosendale Grange No. 1501 in the Grange hall on Monday, December 26. A fine lecture hour was put on by Brother Farrell. After the meeting there was a Christmas party. Gifts were exchanged and hot dogs and coffee were served after the party. This party was open to all.

The annual Christmas party of the 4-H Club of Rosendale was held in the home of Mrs. H. Wesp, the leader of the club. The members enjoyed games. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments were served.

The annual Christmas party of the Comus Club of Rosendale was held in the home of Helen Wesp. All the members with the exception of three were present. Mrs. Auchmoody, their leader, was there also. Christmas presents were exchanged and refreshments were also served.

There will be a New Year's party in the Grange hall on New Year's eve. All are invited to attend. There will be a small admission.

On Christmas Eve at midnight a high Mass was celebrated at St. Peter's, Rosendale, by the pastor, the Rev. William J. McDonald. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Father Waiberle of the faculty of Mt. St. Alphonsus of Esopus. An impressive musical program was given. Before Mass the choir rendered two songs, "Silent Night, Holy Night," Gruber; "O Holy Night," Adam. "The Kyrie," P. Ignatius M. Wilkens; "Gloria," P. Ignatius M. Wilkens; "Credo," John Bonner; at the Offertory "Adeste Fidelis" was sung; "Sanctus," P. Ignatius Wilkens; Benedictus, P. Ignatius Wilkens; Agnus Dei, P. Ignatius Wilkens; at Communion, "Veni Jesu Amor Me," Cherubini; "O Lord I am Not Worthy"; at the conclusion of Mass, "Angels We Have Heard on High," Chadwick. The members of the choir who rendered the Mass were: Altos, Mrs. John Duffy, Mrs. Edward Huben, Mrs. Jesse Davis, Miss Anna Urbeles, Mrs. James Fahey; sopranos, Mrs. Eugene Galvin, Mrs. Steven Huben, Miss Marie Delaney, Mrs. Emma Scarpati, Mrs. Henry DeBois. Organist was Miss Lucille Winters. The choir has been under the direction of Mrs. Frank Maloney of New York for quite some time.

Kingston Townsend Club To Have Christmas Party

The Kingston Townsend Club will celebrate Christmas at Mechanics Hall Wednesday evening. Santa will arrive with bells and gifts for all. There will be a short program and refreshments for all. The public is invited. Admission is free.

The club is carrying on a circulation campaign of the Townsend National Weekly, hoping to add 100 new subscribers.

Dr. Carr Miller, president of the club, has one of the largest and most valuable autograph collections in this section of the state, about 250 in all, including personal letters, autograph copies of famous poems by their authors of America and Europe. Dr. Miller has been collecting these for 40 years. It includes famous statesmen, presidents, poets, scientists, etc. This large collection will be on exhibition to the public at Mechanics Hall, Wednesday evening, February 8, where the Townsend Club will celebrate Lincoln's anniversary. On that occasion Dr. Miller will give his popular lecture, "Lincoln, the Model American."

LYONSVILLE

Lyonsville, Dec. 28 — Jacob Barley and daughter, Mildred, spent Wednesday in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schmetikse called on Mr. and Mrs. Davies on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oakley and Mrs. Kenneth Oakley spent Friday evening shopping in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis entertained on Christmas Day Mrs. Grace Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burgher and mother, of Accord.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sleight of Kingston spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wager, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wager.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson is spending a week in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Davis and Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and family.

Mrs. Ray Davis and Mrs. Grace Davis spent Thursday shopping in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Barley and Mrs. Carrie Van Steenburgh of Stone Ridge spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oakley and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Oakley and son, Kenneth.

Wyrus Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davis were in Kingston Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Davies spent a couple of days at Yonkers and Briar Cliff.

Same Old Code

Chicago, Dec. 28 (AP).—Football rules went under the microscope of the coaches today, but were expected to come out looking pretty much like the same old code. The opening session of the Football Coaches Association considered major and minor rule proposals, but coaches said the sentiment was definitely in favor of leaving the rules alone for another year.

Cremation Investigation

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 28 (AP).—The cremation of Emiko Yamaca., 16-year-old Japanese girl, was investigated today by police, who said they had not determined whether the girl had taken her own life or had been murdered. Her body was found in the furnace of her home.

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Prison Guards Plan Salaries Campaign

The prison guards of the state of New York will demand quick action on a salary bill which they will have introduced in the 162nd session of the New York state legislature when it convenes next week.

The salary bill which the prison guards have prepared calls for an increase in salary to $3,000 annually. The guards predict that this bill is certain of passage since two similar bills were passed by the legislature during its last session, but were vetoed by Governor Lehman, because the prison guards were not satisfied with both these compromise bills that allegedly were forced upon them by an Albany organization consisting, they claim, mainly of non-civil service employes and Albany clerical workers.

The guards are uniformed peace officers of the state and insist on being paid under the present procedure and not under a system that is used for porters, clerical workers and other non-civil service employes.

When both bills passed the legislature at its last session the majority of the prison guards requested Governor Lehman to veto them which he did.

GRANGE NEWS

Patroon Grange No. 1519

Patroon Grange met in regular session December 26 with Master Percy W. Gazlay. The master appointed Sisters Mildred Davis and Belle Kelder as the two new members of the service and hospitality committee for the coming year. The service and hospitality committee is planning a pot luck supper for all of the Grangers in honor of the retiring officers. The supper will be held January ninth and will be served at 6:30. The master introduced Sister Gertrude Barnhart, the chairman of the county service and hospitality committee for the coming year. Sister Barnhart attended the Grange state convention held at Jamestown December 12 to 17. She gave a report of the service and hospitality done in the state which showed that Ulster county had raised the largest amount in the state for the revolving scholarship fund. During the year 157 students received aid in the amount of $15,300. There is $65,123 out on students notes and the total amount loaned to date is $105,951. She reported that 11 Ulster county Grangers attended the convention, Albert Kurdt, Ulster Park, Pomona master and delegate at large; Sister Barnhart, chairman, county service and hospitality committee; Albert Shaw, juvenile deputy, Highland; Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Osterhoudt, delegates from Lake Katrine Grange; Mr. and Mrs. Burton Ward, delegates from Plattekill Grange; Miss Helen Kent, delegate from Milton Grange; Mr. and Mrs. Percy W. Gazlay, delegates from Patroon Grange and Mrs. Charles Bell, of Highland Grange. The program for the evening in charge of Lecturer Elizabeth Schoonmaker was combined with a Christmas tree; song, "Silent Night," Grange; "A Merry Christmas," Jennie Kelder; reading, "Saint Nicholas," Ruamy Stephens; reading, "Back to the Pagans," Helen Schoonmaker; "America's Official Christmas Tree," Jennie Depuy; poem, "Hobbies," Lillian Davis; "The Day After Christmas," Aaron Bell. The program closed with the Grange singing "Joy to the World." The Grange formed a circle and passed the presents from one to the other as Sister Mildred Davis played. When the music stopped the lecturer would indicate one person to open the package held in their hand.

There was a good attendance out and every officer present but one. The committee for the evening was Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kelder, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Humiston and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Levine, Mrs. Arthur Chipp and Mrs. R. A. Stevens.

$2,500—No Receipt

Paterson, N. J., Dec. 28 (AP).—Leonard Tanis, milk farm distributor, drove to the Prospect Park National Bank last night with $2,500 for the night depository. As he got out of his car a man approached him with drawn gun and said: "You can make that deposit with us." Tanis did—and he didn't get a receipt.

Stamps In The News

When the 30-cent Theodore Roosevelt and 50-c Taft "Presidentials" appeared December 8, they wound up the 32-stamp series which began May 19 with the issuance of the ½-cent orange Franklin stamp. The 30-c is printed in blue, the 50-c in lavender.

The dollar values of the set have already appeared — the $1 Wilson on August 29, the $2 Harding on September 29 and the $5 Coolidge on November 17. Of the $5 stamp, $98,000 worth were bought in Washington on the first day of issue. For first-day sales of

these three highest values, the government netted a total income of $178,844.

The profile of Theodore Roosevelt used on the 30-cent stamp is taken from a bust by James Earle Fraser, now in the United States Senate. Mr. Fraser is the sculptor who did the buffalo nickel.

The William Howard Taft portrait is from a photograph by Harris & Ewing, now in the Library of the Philadelphia Bulletin. William A. Roach designed both stamps. The portrait was engraved by James R. Lowe on the 30-c and by Harry R. Rollins on the 50-c. The lettering was by Alton Payne and James T. Vail respectively.

On December 2, Mr. Farley's department issued the next to last pair of "Presidentials"—the 24c gray bearing the head of Benjamin Harrison, and the 25c rich burgundy depicting the profile of William McKinley. The former portrait was from a bust by Adolph Weiman, now at the John Herron Art Institute, Indianapolis; the latter from a Presidential medal supplied by the mint.

The whole set, unused, will cost you $12.08½ face value.

For the past two years, Argentina has been advertising its cattle breeding, farming, wool raising, sugarcane, oil wells, vineyards and cotton on stamps. Neighboring Chile also reviewed the local industries in 1936 when it issued a 12-stamp set to commemorate the 400th anniversary of the discovery of Chile by Diego de Almagro. Subjects in this pictorial series included fishing boats, sheep, mining, shipping, cattle and saltpeter mining.

Now Chile has put out a regular postage set of four stamps along the same line. Again appears the saltpeter mining subject, this time on a 20-cent dull blue stamp. The

wealth of Chile is mainly in minerals, and the outstanding mineral is saltpeter, which happens to be a sodium nitrate in that country. Chile has the largest nitrate deposits in the world—enough to supply the world's increasing demands for a century.

An oil refinery appears on the new 50-c violet stamp, which, like the 20-cent, is typographed.

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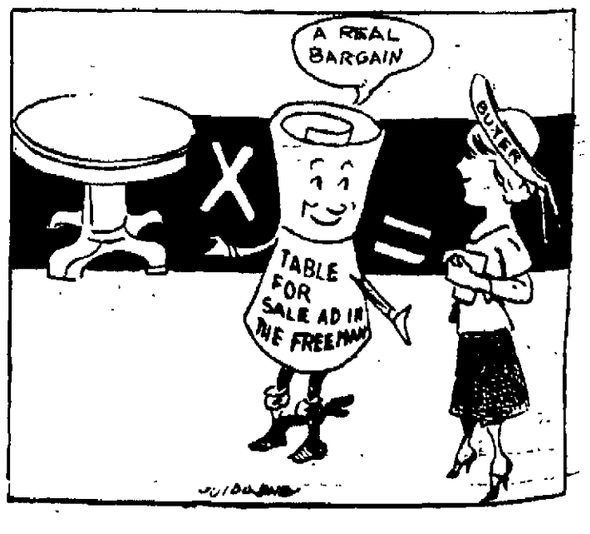

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SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

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Christmas Musicale Given Saturday

A Christmas musicale was given Saturday afternoon at the studio of Miss Jennie R. Hildebrandt 15? Clinton avenue. The pupils who participated were from the elementary and intermediate grades. The program was as follows:

I

Chimes—
Adeste Fidelis
Silent Night
Maureen Troy

Duets—
Merry Christmas .... Hudson
Blue Violets .... Hudson
Robin Redbreast .... Hudson
Doris Osterhoudt and Teacher

Piano Solos—
Happy Rosina ..... Folktune
White Seal Lullaby ... Benson
Criss Cross .... Smith
Doris Osterhoudt

The Blacksmith .. .. Lemont
Grandfather's Clock, Hackelton
Valerie Beam

Carry Me Back to Old Virginny Bland
Starlight Waltz .... Brainerd
Jeanne de la Vergne

Duet—Fluttering Butterflies .... Day
Maureen Troy and Valerie Beam
Transposition .. Doris Osterhoudt
Christmas Carols with Rhythmic Ensemble—
Away in a Manger
O, Little Town of Bethlehem
Jingle Bells
New York State Junior Club Song ...... Mrs. E. H. Morris

II

Duets—
Mazurka .... Folk Tune
Russian Dance .... Folk Tune
Jeanne de la Vergne and Teacher
Piano Solo—Wistful Thoughts .. Rebe
Alice Smith

A short program with the masters
Andante from Sonatina in C major ...... Clementi
Minuet from Don Juan Mozart
Romanza from Sonatina in G major .... Beethoven
The Happy Farmer Schumann
Jeanne De La Vergne

Duets—
Gavotte .... Bach
Pena Hueca ...... Folk Tune
Alice Smith and Teacher
Song—Christmas Carol

Miss Hildebrandt is a member of the Piano Teachers' Congress of New York which is affiliated with the National Federation of Music Clubs and Music Teachers' National Association.

J. Y. A. Has Meeting

A regular meeting of the Jewish Youth Alliance was held Sunday evening in the social hall of Temple Emanuel Joseph J. Farkas presiding. Rabbi Herbert I. Bloom, as guest speaker, spoke on the customs and traditions of the joyous holiday of Chanukah, usually referred to as the Feast of Lights. Announcement was made of a dance to be held at Huling's Barn on January 22. Sidney Spiegel, chairman of the dance committee, reported that plans have been completed, and that his committee is working to make this an outstanding social success in the community. A social hour followed the meeting and refreshments were served.

Anna White to Marry

New York, Dec. 27 (Special)—Miss Anna White, a registered nurse formerly of Kingston and at present of 65 Seaman avenue, New York, and William Rost of 15 Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn, secured a license to wed at the Municipal Building here today. They said they would be married January 1st by the Rev. Dr. Mathewson. The bride-elect was born in Kingston, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer White. Mr. Rost is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rost. He was born in New York.

Goldbergs' Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. William Goldberg formerly of 40 West Chester street celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary in Miami Beach, Fla., Christmas Day, with a dinner and theatre party. Their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Goldberg, of Chicago were among those present. Mrs. Harry Kaplan of 25 Brewster street is a daughter of the Goldbergs.

Holiday Hostess

Miss Mary Coniglio is entertaining a few friends this evening at her home in Port Ewen. Her guests will be the Misses Marie Flynn, Margaret Schultz, Rita Fautz, Lois Jump, Dorothea Graves, Lucy Coniglio and Mrs. Robert J. Henry.

Miss Friend to Wed.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Barbara P. Friend of Kingston, daughter of Mrs. Florence B. Friend, to Ralph H. Short, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Short of 307 Washington avenue.

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Holiday Hits Peak As Revels Continue

The Christmas holiday season, which is being celebrated with many parties and other forms of revelry throughout the city this week, will reach its peak today and Thursday before the final merriment of the old year begins.

Approximately 50 couples attended the informal tea dance at the Governor Clinton Hotel Monday given by Mr. and Mrs. LeVan Haver of Main street. Christmas decorations were used throughout the Crystal Room and red candles and greens adorned the punch and buffet tables. Music for the dancing was furnished by Bob Steuding's orchestra.

Miss Peggy Schilling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Schilling of Emerson street was hostess at a dinner party at the home of her parents on Christmas Eve. Her guests were the Misses Rose Abernethy, Angie Goffredi, Edith Ellison, Alma Schwenk and Marguerite Mollott.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Van Demark entertained at a cocktail party and buffet supper at their home on Esopus avenue on Christmas night. A large open fire made a lovely and cheery setting for the occasion. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swarthout, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hull and Mrs. Caroline Short.

Miss Margaret Bertrand entertained at a dessert bridge last evening at her home on Bruyn avenue, in honor of her sister, Mrs. William Beachner of Marblehead, Mass. Her guests were Miss Dorothy Kuenn, Mrs. Irving Smith, Miss Margaret Schuetz, Miss Margaret Mullen, Mrs. Raymond Gonn and Mrs. Roy Webster.

The annual holiday dance of the Alumnae Association of the Academy of St. Ursula was held Tuesday in the Knights of Columbus Hall and was attended by approximately 77 couples. The Ambassadors furnished music for the dancing. Decorations were in keeping with the season. Receiving the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Flemming, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Kieffer, Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, who acted as chaperones and Miss Marguerite Flaherty and Miss Madeline Berg, members of the dance committee.

Mrs. George Pratt of Highland was hostess at luncheon and bridge Tuesday in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Ralph Gregory of this city. Mrs. Pratt's guests were Mrs. William R. Kraft, Mrs. Sam Bernstein, Mrs. Stephen Hiltebrant, Mrs. A. H. Chambers, Mrs. Charles Walton, Mrs. Le Grand Haviland Jr., Mrs. James Lumb, Mrs. David Burgevin, Mrs. Harold Rakov and Mrs. Jay Le Fevre.

This evening will be held the annual Bachelor-Spinster Ball at the Governor Clinton Hotel. Many of the guests will be young people home from college for the holidays. Music for the dancing will be furnished by Art Mansolillo and his Dell Orchestra from Poughkeepsie. Serving on the floor committee will be Philip Potter of Poughkeepsie, Richard Haviland of Highland, Richard Lumb of Poughkeepsie, Henry Brigham, Bruce Winne and Robert Chambers of this city. A light supper will be served after midnight. Among those entertaining beforehand will be Miss Barbara Rodie and Robert R. Rodie, Jr. who will be hosts at a dinner party at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Rodie of Albany avenue.

Engagement Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. James Miuccio announced the engagement of their daughter Rose E. to Joe A. Sottile, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Sottile of 174 North Front street on Christmas Day at their home in Flatbush.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chambers announce the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn, to George Burgher son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Burgher of 108 Lucas avenue.

Port Ewen Girl to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Doyle of Port Ewen announce the engagement of their daughter, Irene, to Irving Maurer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Maurer of Connelly.

Personal Notes

Judge Joseph M. Fowler and Mrs. Fowler were holiday guests at the Inn at Buck Hill Falls, Pa.

Miss Joan Weber of West Chestnut street has as her house guest for a few days, Miss Barbara Hover, of Germantown.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Beebler of Evanston, Ill., and Miss Marion Beebler of Sea Cliff are spending the holidays at the home of their parents, Mrs. J. C. Beebler, of 359 Albany avenue.

Burt MacFadden, a student at Middlebury College, Donald MacFadden of New York city and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kernochan and son, Clifford, Jr., of Port Washington, L. I. are guests of Mrs. E. F. MacFadden of Washington avenue.

Mrs. Roy Farlow of San Diego, Calif., is spending several weeks as the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Barmann of Merilina avenue.

Miss Shirley Snyder, a student at Cortland Normal School, is spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Earl Snyder and her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. William Berryann of 6 Brewster street.

Miss June Gruberg of Newburgh is spending her vacation at the home of her cousin, Miss Freida Gruberg, 19 Van Deusen street.

Mrs. Michael Ross of Detroit, Mich., is spending the holiday season with relatives in this city. Mrs. Ross is the former Miss Goldie Friedman of Kingston, who for several years was engaged as case worker in the Board of Public Welfare of the city.

Dr. and Mrs. John L. MacKinnon of Manor avenue were hosts to 12 guests Monday evening at a Christmas buffet supper.

Miss Harriet St. John was hostess to a few friends at tea Tuesday afternoon at her home on Linderman avenue.

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Tableau Scene At St. Ursula Exercises

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The above tableau closed the Christmas Pastoral given Friday afternoon by the students of the elementary department of the Academy of St. Ursula. The scene made a beautiful picture against the pine tree background with the angels about the manger preparing for the Christ Child's coming.

Children Asked To Aid Refugees

A benefit performance to aid Jewish refugees in Central Europe will be given tomorrow morning at the Orpheum Theatre starting at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Frank Spodick who is in charge of arrangements seeks the support of local people and hopes for a capacity attendance at the entertainment.

The pictures to be shown will be of special interest to children and as Mrs. Spodick points out will give them an opportunity to be of help to the less fortunate persecuted children abroad, many of whom at this time are without a home.

"It is at this season" says Mrs. Spodick, "that the bitter cry of little children is heard asking us free people to rescue them from under the iron heel of their oppressors. They are the children of parents, who have been imprisoned."

Mrs. Spodick asks the parents of the city to remember the performance and send their children to aid in a worthy cause.

Praying Mantis Females Require Suitable Mates

The courtship of the male praying mantis is not unlike that of our spiders, for if the lady does not consider him a suitable mate she will pounce on him and kill him. The spider sometimes has a good chance of escaping, for he approaches in a wary manner, but the female mantis is more cunning, and will let the male think she is about to accept him. Then, if she does not consider him sufficiently good-looking, those powerful pincer legs flash out, and there is no hope of escape. Apart from courtship, one mantis will not hesitate to attack another, relates a writer in London Tit-Bits Magazine.

The European mantis harmonizes remarkably with its surroundings, but other species have it beaten. Some are colored like tropical flowers and as they remain motionless, bees and other insects alight upon them to be caught and devoured. Others have wings which resemble leaves, with smaller leaf-like appendages on their legs. These change color according to the seasons, and as the leaves change from green to brown, they alter their coat to correspond with spring, summer or autumn.

Origin of Christening Ships

In ancient times when a new ship was launched the libation (or pouring out of wine) was practiced, consecrating the ship to the god whose image she bore. The action of blessing ships is alluded to by the Monks of St. Denys, and there are records of ship christenings from July, 1418, when the bishop of Bangor was sent to Southampton, England, to bless the king's ships for successful voyages. On October 20, 1797, the Constitution, first U. S. navy ship launched, was christened by an officer who broke a bottle of wine over her prow. The practice of christening ships has thus developed gradually into a recognized custom, and champagne is probably used for the ceremony because it is a rare wine and suitable, therefore, for such an important occasion.

For each pound of fuel consumed in freight service, the railroads in the first nine months of 1938 hauled 8 4-5th tons of equipment and freight one mile, the highest average on record for any corresponding period.

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MODES of the MOMENT

by Adelaide Kerr

This white toyo hat to wear under southern suns has the bold sweep of a Mexican sombrero. Its wide rolling brim and sloping crown are banded in navy blue felt. A navy blue, white and pink scarf is worn with the shell pink jersey frock. (Hat designed by Harry Solomons.)

Christmas Exercises Given By Shokan School Children

Shokan, Dec. 28.—The annual Christmas entertainment of the Shokan school, held in the school house Saturday evening, was much enjoyed by the pupils together with their friends and relatives attending the party. The program, as usual, was arranged and directed by Mrs. E. C. Rudder, teacher, who also furnished piano music for the singing. The following took part in the program:

Joan Pfaus, Edward Grossman, Lois Robeson, Harry Personeus, Sandra Pfaus, Robert Robeson, Velma Personeus, Edward Leyder, Billy Tyler, Edward Grossman, Olive Grey, Richard Philips, Margaret Grossmann, Harry Braithwaite, Charles Personeus, Otto Grossman, Lena Busa.

Villages Are Recaptured

Shanghai, Dec 28 (AP)—Chinese advices from the Shansi front in North China said Chinese forces had recaptured several villages around Fenglingtu, blocking Japanese efforts to organize a drive into Shensi province to the west.

Menus Of The Day

By Mrs. Alexander George

Replenishing Fruit Cake Supply

(For Holiday Serving)

New Year's Dinner Menu

Celery Soup — Cheese Crackers
Roast Goose
Mashed Potato Stuffing
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Escalloped Onions
Neapolitan Salad — Cranberry Ice
Rolls — Butter
Orange Sherbet — Light Fruit Cake
Coffee

Neapolitan Salad

2 cups chopped cabbage
⅔ cup diced pineapple
½ cup diced marshmallows
¼ cup salad dressing
⅛ teaspoon salt

Chill ingredients. Combine and serve on crisp lettuce.

Cranberry Ice

4 cups cranberries
2 cups water
2 cups granulated sugar
¼ teaspoon salt
½ cup lemon juice

Boil berries and water until berries are soft. Press through sieve. Add sugar to juice. Boil one minute. Cool. Add rest of ingredients and freeze by regular freezer method—or freeze in mechanical refrigerator, beating three times at thirty-minute intervals after the ice begins to stiffen.

Light Fruit Cake

⅔ cup butter
1 cup granulated sugar
4 eggs, beaten
¼ cup orange juice
1 tablespoon lemon juice
⅛ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 cup chopped candied pineapple
½ cup chopped candied orange peel
½ cup chopped candied lemon peel
1 cup raisins
½ cup red cherries, sliced
½ cup sliced almonds
2¼ cups flour
1 teaspoon baking powder

Cream butter and sugar. Add eggs and beat two minutes. Add rest of ingredients. Pour into large loaf pan fitted with waxed paper. Bake one and one-fourth hours in a moderately slow oven.

Cider jelly is an excellent accompaniment for turkey. Or mold it in ring shape, fill the center with chilled diced fruit and surround it with salad dressing. Serve as first course salad.

Home Service

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Our Growing Population

The following births have been reported to the Board of Health:

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dyson of 10 Snyder avenue, a daughter, Joan Beverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas L. Bruck of 84 Clinton avenue, a daughter, Patricia Anne, in Kingston Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Phipps of Accord, a daughter, Marjorie Anne, in Kingston Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis A. Albright of 57 Stephan street, a son, Francis, in Kingston Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Kearney of 159 Lincoln street, a son Nicholas Carl, in Kingston Hospital.

Gold Flows To U. S.

New York (AP)—The United States gold board hit a new record high in 1938, with imports from war-frightened Europe accounting for most of the gain. The current total of $14,400,000,000 in yellow metal compares with $12,800,000,000 as 1938 dawned and is approximately 55 per cent of all the monetary gold in the world.

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JEFFERSONIAN SCRIPTURE

It takes us a long time to get acquainted with our elder statesmen. Perhaps that is because they were so many-sided, and now one side is overemphasized, and now another.

There is Thomas Jefferson, for instance. He has been usually regarded as an atheist, yet he was sufficiently interested in religion to compile an almost forgotten book known as the "Jeffersonian Bible." He made an abridged New Testament consisting of the recorded utterances of Jesus, cutting out the passages and putting them together according to his own idea of unity and continuity. With them he interwove many other passages closely in accord with the quoted words.

This work was begun while Jefferson was President and continued for 15 years. When he had completed his English version, he did the same thing with the Greek, Latin and French versions, and added maps. He published the whole work in 1819 under the title, "The Life and Morals of Jesus of Nazareth."

Imagine any modern President having the religious interest and the mastery of languages necessary to do a job like that.

The method was surprisingly modern. Most of Jefferson's contemporaries may have considered it sacrilegious for a layman to meddle thus with Scripture. His little book doesn't seem to have had very wide circulation. But in view of the popularity of Bruce Barton's book, "The Man Nobody Knows," it seems as if the reading public might be interested in such a work today—without the Greek, Latin and French versions.

WOOD FOR BUILDING

The use of lumber in heavy construction, supposedly taken over completely by steel and concrete, is said to be increasing. An article in the magazine, American Forests, explains the "new" application of wood as made possible by "timber connectors." These are metal grids, plates and rings developed by European engineers.

"They strike directly at the former weakness in heavy timber construction—the joint between timbers—and by increasing the strength of the joints to the full strength of the timber member itself, they have practically revolutionized engineering principles for timber," says the article.

Connectors have been used in more than 10,000 structures and have been responsible for the use of 344,000,000 feet of lumber in the last four and a half years. They are found in bridges, fire lookout towers, roof trusses and so on. A highway suspension bridge in the Siskiyou National Forest is one of these. It has a span of 344 feet and contains 16,000 board feet of lumber.

This development may have disadvantages as well as advantages. It will increase the importance of forest conservation and reforestation.

FREE SPEECH

By general agreement, free speech is regarded as a primary test of democracy. It is a boon easy to profess and hard to practice. It is human nature to want other people to believe and act as we do. We like agreement and we like to make converts for our way of thinking.

But this is not the spirit of democracy. It is the spirit of autocracy.

A good statement of the principle involved was made by Secretary Ickes the other day. "If we are selfish about our political rights and liberties for ourselves alone," he said, "we are in an untenable moral position. We must be equally jealous for the rights of others, and this involves a willingness on our part to defend the right of any citizen freely to express his views, even if those views are abhorrent to us."

It is a hard saying, but it is a necessary rule, if we are to preserve our freedom. It is all right to make converts for our own way of thinking, if we do it by free persuasion. No citizen imbued by the principles of American democracy should ask more than that.

MODERN INCA EMPIRE

Americans are accustomed to monarchist movements in Europe. They know vaguely of pretenders to the non-existent thrones of France, Austria, Russia, and so on. Such a movement in this hemisphere, however, is a little startling.

The existence of an Inca Monarchist party in Ecuador got into the news the other day when twenty-six-year-old Huaracha Duchicela of that country sent to the Lima Conference a plea and program for restoration of the old Inca Empire with himself as its emperor. He calls himself "The Inca of America." In the ancient Inca regime the supreme ruler was known as "The Inca" or "Only Inca."

It is unlikely that anything at all will be done in response to his communication, even in the way of speech-making. The Inca Empire, when Pizarro conquered it, extended from Quito, Ecuador, to the Maule River in Chile, some distance south of Valparaiso. That is an extensive area, and it is certain that Ecuador, Peru and Chile could not be induced now to surrender their respective portions of it. Yet the incident provides a colorful footnote to past history and the history that is in the making at Lima.

That indictment of the American Medical Association for alleged violation of the anti-trust law is startling. Next the lawyers may be accused of monopoly, and then there will be trouble.

Wall Street plays in hard luck. Just as the public was forgetting about the Whitney case, this Musica-Caster business has to bust out.

Nearly everybody's clamoring nowadays for "solidarity," a lot of which is just bone-headedness.

Nobody who know an old-fashioned family doctor will believe the doctors are a "medical trust."

When the bicycle traffic gets thoroughly regulated, the next thing will be roller-skating.

Twin troubles—too many people in politics and too much politics in people.

THAT BODY OF YOURS

By James W. Barton, M.D.

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NEW TREATMENT FOR MENTAL AILMENTS

When a leg or arm is so badly injured or poisoned that life is threatened, the patient's family do not hesitate to permit it to be removed by surgery. When the mind is so badly afflicted that the patient is unable to take his place in the community and the physician wishes to use the new treatment—large doses of insulin—that causes shock which is sometimes followed by a cure, the family are often afraid to permit their loved one to undergo this method of treatment. Despite brilliant results in many cases, there have likewise been many failures and also other cases where the improvement lasted but a short time.

The most satisfactory results have been obtained where the mental symptoms have existed for months instead of years.

What may prove effective in the treatment of these mental or 'behavior' cases is metrazol (a heart and lung stimulant) which is now being tested in various parts of the world. Dr. A. M. Wyllie, in Glasgow Medical Journal reports his results in a series of twenty cases of dementia precox. These patient live in a persistent dream state which totally unfits them for the work, cares, and duties of life. Their scheme or system of life satisfies them however.

There were eight women and twelve men in Dr. Wyllie's series of cases and physical improvement was observed in seventeen. Those that were very much underweight gained weight rapidly, gaining from 14 to 21 pounds in two months. Their appetites improved and their complexion became healthier. These seventeen patients also showed mental improvement, that is they showed more common sense, more ability to face the real facts of life. One patient, who had been mute for ten years was enabled to speak. The others became less absorbed in themselves and spoke more freely. Some of the patients who were previously idle were induced to occupy themselves. A patient with profound melancholia greatly improved; two with persistent stupor showed slight improvement.

I am recording the above results so that families and patients themselves may be willing to undergo this treatment if so advised by their physicians. It is certainly worth while. "Owing to the simplicity and safety of the metrazol treatment, it may replace treatment by insulin shock."

Scourge.

Send today for Dr. Barton's instructive and helpful booklet entitled 'Scourge.' It deals with gonorrhoea and syphilis those two most dreaded social diseases. Know the facts, protect yourself, and save endless worry. Address your request to Dr. Barton, The Bell Library, 217 West 43rd street, New York, N. Y., enclosing ten cents for cost of handling and mention the name of the Kingston Daily Freeman.

Twenty and Ten Years Ago

Dec. 28, 1913.—Testimonial dinner tendered retiring Supreme Court Justice Alden Chester at Ten Eyck Hotel in Albany.

Ernest H. Eckert and Miss Mildred E. Magley, both of Ulster Park, married in Poughkeepsie.

Lieutenant John R. Larkin returned to his home on Stuyvesant street, after being honorably discharged from U. S. Army and resumed his medical practice.

Dec. 28, 1928.—Rain, which froze as it fell, made slippery going here.

William Von Berg of the Advance Restaurant, injured, but not seriously, in auto accident at Ellenville.

Planned to lay cornerstone of new Methodist Church in New Paltz on January 10.

Hudson river still open to navigation, owing to mild winter so far prevailing.

Mrs. Kenneth Van Nosdall of Harwich street died.

Jacob Sahler died suddenly of heart attack while at work in his barn in Ulster Park.

Delbert C. Reeder of Franklin street injured, but not seriously, in an auto accident.

Dallas, Tex. (AP).—Dallas high school students are taking a hand in the traffic situation. They have organized the "25-50 club," 25 miles in the city, 50 miles per hour in the country. The emblem is a club with 26 spikes, one for each of the traffic fatalities for the year.

NEW YEAR'S LOVE

by Angela Lorden

The Characters

Noel Marchand, *a beautiful young actress.*

Allan Collings, *the man Noel loves.*

David Norris, *Noel's wealthy suitor.*

Yesterday: *David becomes very ill.*

Chapter 12

Deeper Than Friendship

"WE'LL have to wait until morning; I'm hoping we've broken his fever by then."

Dr. Heaton was driving Noel back to her hotel from David's apartment when he answered her questions. It was nearly two o'clock and Noel was nervous and shaken from the waiting hours in David's living-room.

"I thought he was almost better yesterday," Noel suggested.

"What we've got to do is try and stave off pneumonia," was all the physician would tell her.

She had to be content with that through a night of fitful sleep in which she had terrifying dreams of David dying. But when Noel phoned his place in the morning, Josephs' voice was unrevealing. Mr. Norris was resting, his temperature was the same, the doctor was with him.

While she was having her coffee in the chair by the window, Noel's telephone rang. It was Swanstrom and she wondered, in the instant she recognized his voice, if he had more unfortunate news to tell. Had something happened to Dixon, too?

"How is Norris this morning?" Swanstrom asked, explaining, "I called his apartment but could get no decisive information." Noel knew how non-committal Josephs could be.

"He's about the same, Douglas," she spoke into the mouthpiece. "I talked with Dr. Heaton last night and he was very much concerned. And this morning, they told me David's condition was unchanged."

"That's awful!"

Noel couldn't understand the worried voice at the other end. David and Swanstrom were friends, yes, but not close enough to cause the tragic tones she heard.

"Well, you'd better pray for his speedy recovery, Noel" — Swanstrom hesitated as though weighing his next words—"We need him pretty badly right now."

Then Noel knew what she had at first suspected. She didn't require what Douglas next said, "We can't go into production without his backing."

"Ooh!" Noel nearly dropped the receiver from her trembling hand. "I don't know why—why, Douglas, didn't you tell me before?"

Douglas waited a moment. Then he muttered slowly, "It was a secret — part of our arrangement. Norris didn't want anyone to know." He didn't want me to know, Noel thought in panic.

"I'll call you back later," was all she could say to Swanstrom.

David, why didn't you tell me? she thought. She couldn't ask him that now but she was certain he was investing the money for her sake, not because he believed in the success of the play.

"He's been even finer than I knew," she said aloud to herself and sent up a fervent hope that David would be better soon. Not for the success of the play primarily—but for himself.

Somehow Noel managed to get through the early hours of the day. She walked aimlessly around Central Park and when she could endure the suspense no longer stopped at David's apartment.

"There is no change yet, Miss Marchand," Josephs informed her. The old servant's face was harried, his voice tired. "No one is allowed in his room, except the nurse. Dr. Heaton just left a while ago. All we can do is hope, and pray, Miss Marchand."

'We've Missed You'

DREADING the afternoon and evening ahead, yet afraid to be away from the telephone too long, Noel taxied back to her hotel. She found a message to call Mrs. Marchand at the Lancaster.

"My dear, I'm hoping you'll have dinner with us here," the older woman told her when she phoned.

"I won't be such good company," Noel replied. "David's quite ill. But I'll go if you want me."

Allan was waiting with his mother when Noel reached the Lancaster. Mrs. Marchand kissed her affectionately and Allan's was a warm personal welcome.

"It's been lonely in Claiborne since you left," Mrs. Marchand told Noel. "We've missed you dreadfully." She smiled sadly then added, "Of course, I don't dare think of the time when Allan will go, too."

Allan put his arm around his mother, patting her shoulder. "But think, darling—this will be the last time away."

To Noel he spoke:

"Has mother told you? I'm going back to Chile for three months, then I'll be in the New York office permanently."

"That's wonderful. How did you manage it?"

"I didn't. They fixed it for me."

Allan brought a cocktail shaker in from the hall serving pantry and poured out three drinks while his mother asked Noel about David.

"I was so sorry to hear it. Mother just told me before you came in." He handed Noel a drink, and one to his mother. Noel's hand shook as she raised the slender-stemmed glass to her lips. The warm liquid gave her new courage.

"What about the play?" he asked as he sipped his own drink.

"It all depends on how quickly David recovers," Noel explained. She hated adding it, but she did: "He's backing the production, you know."

"I see!" Allan said it slowly and Noel couldn't know why his words made her so angry.

"I hadn't realized that," Mrs. Marchand interrupted.

Noel hesitated. "I didn't know it myself—at first."

Mrs. Marchand broke the silence that followed. "I'll get on my things. Allan's taking us out."

'It's Confidential, But—'

WHILE the older woman was in the bedroom, Allan remarked in a sympathetic voice, "Don't worry—too much. You must hope for the best."

He sat down beside Noel on the divan and took her hand in his. "I hate to see you worried, Noel. It worries me, too."

She gave him a grateful glance and blinked back the tears in her eyes. She was so tired from the trying day, she was thinking she'd like to rest her head a moment on his shoulder. It would be so comforting. And because she thought it, she jerked her hand from his grasp.

They went to Larue's and Allan chose a table in the farthest corner. His every action was solicitous for Noel's comfort. He talked again of the Christmas party.

"Sheldon has a job with the Demarest office," she remarked. His steady look met Noel's. She smiled her secret appreciation.

"I'm so glad to hear it," she told him.

"He's a nice boy," Mrs. Marchand interrupted. "Now that he's working, I'm sure he'll lose that moroseness."

Noel remembered that she hadn't communicated with Elsie Grant. So much had happened since her return to New York. Secretly she resolved to call the Weymouth Club in the morning.

David was on her mind all through the dinner. She kept part in the conversation and when they had finished she went into the dressing-room to telephone his apartment.

"About the same, Miss Marchand," Josephs told her again. She had to be satisfied with the comforting thought his condition was no worse.

Back in the lobby she said to Allan:

"It was a delightful dinner, though I haven't been such a gay guest."

"You've been lovely, as always," Mrs. Marchand reassured her.

Allan explained he had to stop off at the club for a while to meet some business acquaintances.

"Why don't you go back to the Lancaster with mother? It's quite early and I'll return shortly."

Mrs. Marchand was persuasive. Then, too, Noel dreaded the long evening alone in her room.

Together in the living-room of the big Marchand suite, Mrs. Marchand had Noel take off her hat. "It's more restful," she suggested.

Amber shadows from the lamp back of Noel's chair fell on her softly-waved hair, on one outline of her pale cheek.

"You're so beautiful!" Mrs. Marchand offered unexpectedly.

Noel laughed in embarrassment. "I'm not really beautiful. An actress learns to make herself seem so."

"Well, Allan thinks so, too. He's quite fond of you, my dear. But then, who wouldn't be? You're so fine in every way."

Noel blushed. Allan thought her beautiful. The thought made an exciting circle of emotion around her heart. Although she willed against it, she could still feel the causal kiss in the Claiborne woods—a kiss to seal a friendship.

"I think Allan is one of the grandest people I've ever met," she answered—and in truth.

Mrs. Marchand sighed. "He's been a wonderful son, all I've had for so long. And the periods he's been away have been almost unendurable. It's hard, Noel, for a woman to be away from the man who belongs to her—whether it's a husband or son."

More difficult still, Noel thought, to think too much of a man who would never belong. She glanced at Mrs. Marchand, fearful lest the older woman read her secret thoughts. Now that she's seen Allan again, the feeling about him was stronger—not friendship, but deeper, alarmingly so. The realization brought a sinking sensation. She must stop it! At once!

Then she heard her friend saying in a carefully guarded voice:

"It's confidential, but I want you to know. Allan and Elaine will be married, when he returns from South America."

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Tomorrow: New Year's Eve.

Merchants' Santa Expresses His Thanks

The following "letter of thanks" from "Santa Claus" has been received by The Freeman:

Editor,
Freeman
Dear Sir:

A letter of thanks from Santa Claus.

It has been my privilege to talk to the children and grown ups at the stores uptown. This was made possible through the cooperation of the Uptown Business Men's Association. I also desire to extend my thanks to the clerks in all the stores and assure them that their cooperation made my work among the children a success.

I enjoyed the work and feel the Business Men's Association deserves the heartiest thanks of all, for the pleasure extended to the children. The idea was a great success and hope next season they will again carry out the program.

Wishing you all a happy and prosperous New Year.

Sincerely,
SANTA CLAUS.

Large Harvest Of Wheat

New York (AP)—In 1938 the wheat harvest was the third largest in history at 931,000,000 bushels, and the biggest single crop in two decades. It was topped by the 1919 harvest of 968,000,000 bushels and that of 1915, which totaled 1,026,000,000 bushels.

Power Outputs Slumps

New York (AP)—Electric power output dropped under the previous year during 1938 for the first time since 1932. Production is estimated at 113,850,000,000 kwh against 119,810,000,000 kwh the year before, a decline of five per cent.

READY TO TAKE OFF

By BRESSLER

Bressler Editorial Cartoons

Sundown Stories

—By Mary Graham Bonner—

Asking Questions

"A SURPRISE?" quacked Mrs. Quacko. "Have you had a surprise since you have been out? I know we all had surprises for Christmas. We had presents we never expected to receive. We had a Christmas dinner we never believed possible when Willy Nilly had been so busy helping Santa Claus. We had our tree and we had our decorations. How could you have had another surprise?"

"I don't know how I could have had one," answered Christopher Columbus Crow. "Top Notch is annoyed with me because I am not speaking more carefully." Christopher said that to make the others more curious. He felt they should be curious. He knew that he was. He had never seen anything such as he had seen on his recent, short flight.

And as he thought about what he had seen he began speaking aloud, half in puzzlement, half in a desire to have the sight explained to him.

"And there were two of them," he cawed.

"Two of what?" asked Mrs. Quacko Duck.

"Two reindeer?" asked Willy Nilly, who was still thinking of Christmas.

"No, no, not reindeer," answered Christopher. "I think they must be birds, and yet they are too large for birds. Well, no, when you think that the ostrich is a bird you wouldn't say they are too large for birds. They're not nearly so large as the ostrich—not even two of them."

"Christopher Columbus Crow," cackled Top Notch, "you are not sleepy yourself and so you are trying to keep us all awake telling us of something puzzling you have seen. I'm going to put my head under my wing and take a nap. You haven't seen anything unusual. I know you!" But Top Notch was wrong.

"You'll be sorry if you go to sleep. You know you like to discover what is going on." Top Notch listened and stayed awake.

Tomorrow—"Willy Nilly Wonders"

ELLENVILLE

Ellenville, Dec. 28 — Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Otte and daughter, Mary Lou, of Durham, Conn., are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Otte's parents, Attorney and Mrs. H. W. Coons. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith of Deposit have also been guests at the Coons' home for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson of Suffern were the Christmas eve guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund H. Zupp.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus DePuy entertained on Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. Daniel F. Vanderlyn and daughters, Lois and Dorothy, and son, Robert, of Ellenville, and Webster Sheldon and son, Friend Sheldon, of Kerhonkson.

William Cleary of Brooklyn spent the holiday week-end with his family here.

Mrs. Dorothy V. Hoemer and Mrs. Katherine V. Clarke spent the Christmas week-end with their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Van Valkenburgh, of Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Caro and son, Keith, of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hornsberger and daughter, Elizabeth Ann, of Highland Falls, were Christmas week-end guests at the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Henry.

Harry Fater of Middletown spent a few days during the week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rose and Mr. and Mrs. William Fater.

The Misses Mildred and Florence White of New York city were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Frear.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Campbell left Monday to spend a few days with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Richmond Campbell, of Port Chester.

Miss Katharine Terwilliger is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert H. Terwilliger.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Barker of Fishkill and Miss Josie Lou Cole of New York are spending the holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo S. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maher and Mrs. Ella O'Neill of Woodridge were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Carden.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton H. Wood had as their guests Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sutton of New York and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coffin and daughter, Phyllis, and son, Stephen, of Old Greenwich, Conn.

Miss Reta Dolan of Hartwick Seminary at Oneonta is spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Myra Dolan.

Mr. and Mrs. Nial Moshier had as their Christmas Day guests, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Peet and son, Willard, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Van Gorder and Miss Lillian Dermody of Ellenville, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pratt of Utica, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Douglas of Albany.

Mrs. Ruth Rencher of the high school faculty is spending the Christmas holidays with her family at Ogdensburg.

Duane Dolan of Philadelphia, Pa., spent the holiday week-end with his mother, Mrs. Myra Dolan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Ray spent Christmas Day and the week-end with the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Moulthrop of Lawrence, Mass.

Mrs. Olney E. Cook, who has been a patient at the Cornwall Hospital, has returned to her home here and is convalescing nicely.

Dr. and Mrs. Jaasen Hoornbeek and son, Courtland, of New York, spent the Christmas week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Hoornbeek.

Dayton Murray of Kingston spent the holiday week-end with his son and daughter-in-law, District Attorney and Mrs. Cleon B. Murray of Knoll Acres.

Attorney and Mrs. Clarence A. Hornbeek entertained on Christmay Day Mrs. John Hoornbeek and daughter, Mary Frances, of Napanoch and Frank Durland of Chester.

Miss Grace Everest of Huntington, L. I., formerly of the local high school faculty, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Sprague for Christmas.

Supervising Principal Wallace H. Strevell and Assistant Principal Orville P. Bates, are attending the annual convention of Associated Academy Principals which is being held at Syracuse Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, December 27, 28 and 29.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Rose and son, Graham, of Mineola, L. I., were Christmas week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Rose of South Main street.

Miss Helen Goldberg is spending several days with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoffman, at Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kindberg and daughter, Violet, of Cragsmoor have moved into an apartment on North Main street for the winter months.

Washington Daybook

By PRESTON GROVER

WASHINGTON—King George and Queen Mary will move into the White House next summer to find almost a complete absence of anything British except a recollection that his majesty's soldiers once burned the place down.

Other than the smoke marks, long since painted over, there is a white marble mantel in the Green room, brought from England in 1792, and the state dining room is paneled with English walnut. Other foreign touches mostly are French and Belgian.

Probably it is no ill omen, but the last reigning monarch who visited the place, King Prajadipok of Siam, no longer is on the throne. He came in 1931 as a guest of President Hoover. Hoover lost his job, too.

There aren't any historic ghosts in the White House no records of bloody plots such as distinguish British castles. But the White House is a distinguished place none the less, although a bit crowded even for a democratic king.

There are seven bedroom suites on the upstairs floor, which traditionally is the family quarters. Present plans are for the king to occupy an east end suite containing the nine-foot Lincoln four-poster bed, which probably creaks. The place overlooks the treasury, also a matter of some interest to the British.

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Might Crowd Things Up

GOODNESS knows what would happen if the Roosevelt clan decided to come home for a family visit right at the moment. Doubtless Mrs. Roosevelt would make everybody comfortable, even if it meant a bit of doubling up. She has a friendly touch, and if King George VI feels a bit strange in a place where people speak English with a funny American accent, he probably will be made right at home soon enough.

It is a fact that stories about the place are comic as often as dignified. Abagail Adams, first of the line of first ladies, almost froze, what with the wet walls and incomplete fixtures. She hung the wash in the gorgeous imperial East Room now all gilt and white, with shimmering chandeliers.

In the East Room hangs the Washington painting saved from British soldiers by Dolly Madison. A group of busts of early Presidents came from the French. In 1860 President Buchanan received the first Japanese embassy to the United States in the famed room, as well as the Prince of Wales, later Edward VII. Theodore Roosevelt used it for practicing Jiu Jitsu with a Japanese coach.

Jeffersonian informality once offended the British minister. His wife was left unattended to find her way alone into a state dinner. Probably the FDR's will break that Jeffersonian tradition. The wild and woolly Jackson receptions still are a sort of annoyance for Democrats to remember, especially the one when a 1,400 pound New York cheese was hacked up in a hungry frolic, much of it being smeared on the walls.

Democrats like better to recall that Jackson locked himself up in an attic room in the White House to nurse a coachman whose smallpox had stampeded the servants.

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Dolly Generous

LAVISH Dolly Madison had one servant behind each dinner guest's chair but the Roosevelts have only one servant to each four.

Things could really be worse for their imperial majesties. As late as 1841 President William Henry Harrison used to go to market with a basket on his arm. Not until 1877 were bathrooms installed. President Hayes also installed one telephone. Gas lights replaced candles in 1848, and 40 years later came electricity.

One thing is certain to convince the king and queen they are in a foreign land. There isn't a suit of antique armor in the whole place.

Lewis Gannett Hurt

New York, Dec. 28 (AP.)—Lewis Gannett, 47, author and book reviewer for the New York Herald-Tribune, was struck by a hit-and-run driver last night. He was taken to the Presbyterian Hospital suffering from head cuts.

Gold production in Canada during the first ten months of 1938 totalled 3,871,946 ounces compared with 3,380,735 ounces in the corresponding period of 1937.

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Flashes of Life Sketched in Brief

(By The Associated Press)

Over Dose

Philadelphia—A sad-faced woman appeared at an undertaking establishment and tearfully explained she wanted to select a casket for her husband.

"Poison liquor," she sobbed, "that's what killed him."

The undertaker was curious. Had she notified the police? No. Then how did she know the liquor was poison?

"Well," said the woman, "I been drinking it all day and I ought to know."

Police located the husband. He wasn't dead—just unconscious.

Armchair Arrests

Bethany, Mo.—Law enforcement here is getting to be a cinch.

A truck driver crashed into a deputy sheriff's car. He was arrested on the spot.

A fugitive parked across from the sheriff's office. He was recognized and arrested.

Two runaway girls from Des Moines, Ia., were picked up. They tried to thumb a ride with state highway patrolmen.

CREEK LOCKS

Creek Locks, Dec. 28—The Creek Locks school entertainment held December 22 was a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Kelsch spent Christmas in New York with relatives.

Wingar Dugan, who is stationed at West Point, spent Christmas week-end at his home with his mother, Mrs. W. Dugan.

Arthur Constable of Creek Locks spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lukas.

John Courant of New Jersey visited his sister, Miss Nellie Courant, Christmas week-end.

The midnight Mass which was held Saturday in Rosendale was largely attended.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Brown visited the home of their son for Christmas.

Charles McLaren was home over the week-end with his family from New York.

AUGUST, 1938:

Battle Fought for a Hill; Europe's Jitters Increase

By VOLTA TORREY
AP Feature Service Writer

A concealed as well as undeclared war had simmered for years along the frontier between Russia and Manchoukuo. Just where the boundary lay, geographers could not say. And in August, 1938, so many bombs burst on a hill called Changkufeng, near that uncertain frontier's eastern end, that the whole world worried, and wondered. ...

Was Russia, China's friend, diverting Japan from the war in China? Or was Japan, Germany's friend, distracting Russia from the crisis in Czechoslovakia? Or were both sides' frontier forces merely fighting to avoid being moved to bigger and bloodier battlefields?

Few could say. But Tokyo and Moscow diplomats compared maps, ordered an armistice, and agreed to let a commission draw the line between Russia and Manchoukuo.

War Dog Days

August 15 was expected to be "Der Tag" in Europe. It wasn't. But the build-up continued every August day. Hungary's kingfish, Admiral Nicholas Horthy, went to Germany to study goose-stepping. Bulgaria's King Boris got his neighbor's permission to re-arm. Spain's Insurgent President Franco scuttled the non-interventionists' plans. Germans marched as to war, and ousted a British passport officer from Vienna for espionage.

"It will soon no longer be possible," Secretary of State Hull broadcast, "for some nations to follow the way of force and for other nations at the same time to choose and follow the way of reason."

McADOO LOSES ... and collects a souvenir from his senate office door.

BARKLEY WINS ... and proves he could qualify for "Happy" nickname of opponent Chandler.

HEAVENLY PEASTERS ... 'angels' answer Father Divine's summons to fried chicken.

Moscow flyers feted "Lindy." Germany's big landplane crossed the Atlantic. The Hawaii Clipper, with 15 aboard, was missing in the Pacific. Frank Hawks died in a crash near Buffalo. Dan Dodge, million - heir bridegroom of a phone girl, drowned after mishandling dynamite.

Another Element

French Chemist Jean Perrin reported discovery of a 93rd element. Oriental dysentery invaded Owosso, Mich. German microscopists magnified germs 100,000 times. Women voyagers through Colorado river rapids brought back new kinds of cacti. And the Queen Mary set a transatlantic speed record.

New York's District Attorney Dewey, prosecuting James J. Hines, publicized "policy." Barbara Carroll of Maine posed for photographers covering her father's trial for murder. The Cleveland torso slayer's 11th and 12th victims were found. Charles Bird, ex-Public Enemy No. 2, was caught in Baltimore. And the alleged "baking to death" of four Pennsylvania prisoners was probed.

'Angels' And Solons

Father Divine's "angels" moved to a new "heaven" near Franklin D. Roosevelt's Hyde Park place. Senators Alben W. Barkley, Bennett Champ Clark and Ellison D. Smith were among the many moving into election finals, and those who were beaten in preliminary polling included Senators James P. Pope and William G. McAdoo.

The Harlan County, Ky., labor conspiracy trial's jury couldn't agree. The Dies inquiry came to the fore, with J. B. Matthews introducing alleged Communist "fellow travelers" and suggesting that reds might even be hiding behind Shirley Temple's swirling skirts.

Norma Shearer decided not to be "Scarlet O'Hara." Warner Oland died. Lupe Velez divorced Johnny Weissmuller. Dancers tried "the yam" and the "Lambeth Walk." Hollywood revived "Alexander's Ragtime Band." Summer concerts drew record throngs. And radio listeners dialed in on "Information Please."

POLICY PUBLICIZER ... Dewey arrives for Hines courtroom battle.

License Plates To Go on Sale

Albany, Dec. 27—Cashiers in New York State Motor Vehicle Bureau issuing offices, inking up numbering machines in preparation for the opening of sale of 1939 automobile registration plates, tomorrow will place the new 1939 application forms on their counters for public distribution.

Although the application blanks are available Tuesday, the actual sale of registration plates will not get under way until a week later—on Tuesday, January 3.

Anyone leaving the state before the first of the year, or anyone who can offer "other good and sufficient reason," can obtain new plates now.

Mt. Horeb Chapter Chooses Officers

The annual convocation of Mt. Horeb Chapter, No. 75, R. A. M., was held at Masonic Hall, Wall street, December 21. Following reports of officers for the year and election, refreshments were served.

The elected and appointive officers were installed by Paul Jones, assistant grand lecturer, with Charles F. Lebert acting as marshal and W. Frank Davis as chaplain.

Officers for the coming year are: Arthur J. Kentor, high priest; Roy L. Brower, king; Bennett Markle, scribe; E. N. Snow, treasurer; Thomas Lebert, secretary; Harold F. Davis, captain of host; Ramon Nadal, principal sojourner; John R. Van Kleeck, royal arch captain; Philip E. Kearney, master third veil; Abram H. H. Short, master second veil; Elwyn Roosa, master first veil; E. N. Snow, chaplain; W. Whiting Friedenburgh, organist; Charles H. Young, sentinel; Edward Gerlach, steward.

Unions Asked to Stop

Endicott, N. Y., Dec. 28 (AP.)—Representatives of 47 factories, tanneries and departments of the Endicott Johnson Corporation today petitioned the C. I. O., the A. F. of L., and the National Labor Relations Board to "desist from activities directed toward the organization of Endicott Johnson workers into union groups."

Due to the exceptionally fine weather enjoyed during the month of October, the number of visitors to Cape Breton Highlands National Park, Nova Scotia, showed an increase of about 14 per cent over October a year ago.

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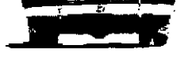

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Friday, December 30

SAUGERTIES NEWS

Saugerties, Dec. 27.—Richard Rightmyer of New York spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rightmyer, on Dawes street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Salisbury and son of New York spent the holiday with his mother and sister on Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Goodman and son, Stanley, of Glenerie, and Miss Alice Benton of this village, spent Monday with relatives and friends in Albany.

The Christmas baskets committee distributed 180 baskets to the needy families of this village on December 23. The trucks of the village and town distributed the baskets to the various homes. The total amount of money received for this fund was $449.84. W. Hoyt Overbagh was chairman and the Rev. John Neander, treasurer, of the committee this year.

William Mann of New York spent Christmas with his brother and sisters on Partition street.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wilcox of Utica were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Myers on Elm street.

Miss Gertrude Dale of Market street spent Christmas with friends in Rochester, Minn.

John S. Overbagh of Yale University spent the Christmas recess at his home in this village.

Miss Gertrude Lerner of Columbia University spent the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lerner, on John street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Hoesen of Prospect street spent some time visiting relatives in New York.

David Neander, of the Harvard Medical School, Cambridge, Mass., spent the Christmas recess with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. John Neander, on Main street.

John Carnright of New York and Robert Carnright of Cornwall spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carnright, on Post street.

Walter Simmons has accepted a position with the Simmons Dairy Company and will succeed Gus Kneuert, who has been transferred to Kingston, where he will have charge of the company's business.

James Reynolds of Main street has been taken to the Benedictine Hospital, where he will be under the treatment of Dr. Robert McCaig.

Wesley Smith and Warren Myer of Cornell University are visiting their parents at Churchland and Mt. Marion.

Miss Carolyn Ryder of Beaver College, Pa., is spending the holiday with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Ryder, at Flatbush.

James Reynolds and Edward Montano of Cathedral College are spending the Christmas season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Montano.

Miss Ivy Roberts of Washington avenue spent the Christmas holiday at Shelby.

Jacob Rogers of West Saugerties, who has been ill with heart trouble, is reported to be improved. Mr. Rogers will enter the Kingston Hospital for observation after the Christmas holidays.

Charles Terpening of Malden suffered a compound fracture of the middle finger on his left hand while employed at the Lehigh Cement plant.

Frank E. Hildebrandt, Lloyd Clum and Margaret Hollinger of this village and Louis Francello of Glasco, students at the Albany Teachers' College, are spending the holiday recess at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Albert of Barclay Heights spent the week-end with Eveline Ballou in Richmond Hill, L. I.

Mary Hayes of Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill., is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. James A. Hayes, on Elm street.

Miss Ruth Osborne of Maplewood, N. J., spent the past holiday as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. White on Main street.

Miss Juliette Gifford, of the Northfield School for Girls, Northfield, Mass., spent the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Gifford, here.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hildebrandt of Market street and Mr. and Mrs. Lang of Partition street, celebrated their silver wedding anniversary during the past week. Both families received the well wishes and congratulations from their many friends.

Raymond Pissone of this village assisted at the Lerner's department store in Catskill during the Christmas holiday rush.

Louis Haskell of Robinson street is spending a few days in Boston, Mass., on business.

A carload of coal has been unloaded for the Knaust Bros. and is being hauled to the Sheffield mills plant on the South side. The company has men employed preparing for the growing of mushrooms.

Fabian Russell, president of the Saugerties Mfg. Co., presented a gift of money to the employes of the company on December 23. Superintendent Joseph Rose, after a short speech, handed out the envelopes which were gratefully received.

Miss Myrtle Sinsapaugh, of the Portchester school faculty, is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sinsapaugh, on Washington avenue.

Vincent Keenan, of Cornell University, Ithaca, spent the holiday recess with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Keenan, on Partition street.

Miss Frances Dale of the Mamaroneck school faculty is spending the Christmas recess with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dale on Market street.

Edward Van Voorhis, Jr., of Jersey City spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Van Voorhis, on Ulster avenue.

Donald Schneider, of the Williams Band School in Brooklyn, spent the holiday with relatives in this village.

Jerome Jaffe, who has been a patient at the Kingston Hospital, for the past several weeks, was brought to his home on Main street by N. R. Lasher's ambulance on Wednesday afternoon.

Sumner V. Mead was conveyed to the Bonesteel Sanitarium from the Kingston Hospital by Dargan's ambulance.

The annual Christmas visit of Santa Claus aboard the fire apparatus of T. B. Cornwell was made Sunday morning. The youngsters responded to the call for his candy gifts.

Miss Grace E. Snyder of Main street spent the holiday with friends in Tappan and Nyack.

Miss Emilie Schoentag, of Wellesley College, is visiting her home for the holiday recess.

Miss Lois Lasher, of Syracuse University is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norvin Lasher, in this village.

Mrs. M. Gunterman, of Far Rockaway was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Jaffe on Main street.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Thomas D. Provanzano, son of Mrs. Mary Provanzano, of Glasco to Miss June Hommel, of Partition street, Saugerties, daughter of Mrs. Frances Hommel on Christmas Day. The wedding is expected to take place in the near future.

Miss Helen Emerick of the Holland Patent School faculty is visiting her sisters and brother on Partition street.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Butler and child of Albany are spending the holidays in this village.

The following teachers who are Saugerties young women and are visiting their homes are Miss Aline Wolf of Farmingdale, L. I. High School; Misses Beth Byman and Katheryn Fellows, of the Kingston High School; Miss Eva Dederick, of the Stamford High School; Miss Frances M. Maxwell, of the Waverly High School; Miss Ethel M. Piero, of the Hague High School.

Richard Hunt and son, Clifton of New Canaan, Conn., are spending a few days at their home on Clermont street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buckman, of the Long Dock are spending the winter months in New York city.

Miss Lulie F. Nicholas, of Washington avenue spent the holiday season in New York.

Cadets Casper Clough and Richard White, of the West Point Military Academy spent Christmas Day with their parents in this village.

Miss Lois Robinson and Miss Jean Fellows of the New Paltz Normal spent the Christmas holiday with their parents in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Phelps of Washington avenue and son, Guy spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Alan C. Abeel at Larchmont.

Valentine Weisner, Jr., of Ithaca College, is visiting his parents on Washington avenue.

Ulysses Slater of Ithaca College spent the holiday vacation with his parents in this place.

Gale at Buffalo

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 28 (AP.)—A 66 mile gale here blew up some business for six enterprising youths. They stood in front of a leading hotel and chased hats blown off women for tips. Their profits totaled more than $5.

Bankruptcies Increase

New York (AP.)—The business recession in the past year upped the number of companies being forced to the wall approximately one-third. Dun and Bradstreet data indicates close to 12,700 firms failed in 1938 compared with 9,496 the year before.

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Guardsmen Give Officers Dinner

Members of the Kingston units of the 156th Field Artillery honored the home-coming of Captain Ernest A. Standing and Lieutenant Robert Rindell at a dinner last evening at the New York state Armory. The two officers returned recently from Fort Sill, Okla., where they had been attending a training school.

A turkey dinner was served to approximately 100 guardsmen and officers of Battery A and Headquarters Battery. Seated with the honored officers were Major Joseph Tate, Major W. McLaughlin, Captain Charle Behrens, Lieutenant Harold Clayton, Lieutenant Frederick Coombs, Lieutenant Jerold L'Havoc, Lieutenant Thomas Flynn, Captain Carleton Preston and Armorer Matthew Bence.

Lieutenant Clayton as toastmaster introduced several of the officers following the dinner, who congratulated and paid tributes to the two honored guests. The latter in return expressed appreciation for the honor paid them and said they were glad to be back with their own units.

The two young men during their three-months stay at Fort Sill took an intensive course covering all phases of the field artillery, including the assembling of the various types of field pieces, motor transportation, radio and telephone communication, fire control and handling of the troops while in the field.

Movies showing scenes of the maneuvers at Pine Camp were shown following the dinner and speaking program.

Wallkill High School Alumni To Try Novel 'Ticket' Stunt

Slim people will find it pays to attend the dance to be given this evening by the Wallkill High School Alumni. The admission price is to be a small percentage of the combined weight of the young women who attend and their escorts.

It is believed that this is the first time this novel way of establishing an admission price has been tried in this area. Ward Harrison's orchestra of Newburgh will play for dancing.

New York City Produce Market

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—Rye spot steady; No. 2 western Cif., N. Y., 62¾c.

Barley steady; No. 2, domestic Cif., N. Y., 54⅝c.

Other articles steady and unchanged.

Butter 1,593,984; steady. Creamery: Higher than extra 28¼c-29c; extra (92 score) 28c; firsts (88-91) 26c-27½c; seconds (84-87) 24½c-25½c.

Cheese 374,169, quiet; prices unchanged.

Eggs, 36,566; easier. Whites: Resale of premium marks 37-39; nearby and midwestern premium marks 35-36; exchange specials 34; nearby and western exchange mediums 30½-31.

Browns: extra fancy 32¾-⅞; nearby and western exchange specials 31½-⅞.

Live poultry, by freight, steady to firm. Chickens, rocks 20c; colored 12c-14c; leghorn 12c-13c. Fowls, colored 18c-22c; leghorn 13c-16c. Pullets, rocks 24c. Old roosters 10c-12c. Turkeys, hens 30c-32c; young toms 26c-28c. Ducks 14c-16c.

By express irregular. Chickens, rocks 20c; crosses 22c; colored, southern 14c-16c; reds 18c. Broilers, rocks 18c-21c; crosses 16½c-20c; colored 19c; reds 18c. Fowls, colored 19c-22c; leghorn 18c. Pullets, rocks, large 26c-27c, medium 24c; crosses, large 25c-26c, mediums 23c-24c; reds 24c-25c. Old roosters 14c. Turkeys, hens 32c; young toms 25c. Ducks 16c.

Dressed poultry steady. Fresh and frozen prices unchanged.

Plattekill Still Raid

Federal agents this morning made a raid on the property of Salvatore Traina in the town of Plattekill, and seized an alleged 1,000 gallon still and some mash. Arrests were made.

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Financial and Commercial

Holiday Retail Trade Will Force Stores to Market

Although Christmas buying got off to a disappointing start, the Wall Street Journal says that a survey of metropolitan shopping centers shows that, taking the country as a whole a final rush of purchasers appears to have pushed retail trade for the holiday season near to the 1937 levels and in some cases at least beyond. The effect has been to drop inventories to a low point which will force department stores into the market to replace many basic lines. Prices this year were approximately seven per cent below a year ago, but unit volume of sales increased sufficiently to bring up the dollar volume to 1937 levels. Philadelphia, Chicago and Detroit headed cities where total of dollar sales are estimated to have exceeded the four weeks holiday period last year. Chicago department stores showed results from even with last year to five per cent ahead for the last week. Philadelphia is expected to show a five per cent gain over 1937. Detroit is about one per cent ahead in dollar volume and six to eight per cent in unit sales. New York metropolitan area apparently showed an exception to the general trend and although estimates show that unit sales were above 1937 dollar volume for the Christmas weeks was from two to three per cent under a year ago. In some instances individual stores reported customer traffic and unit volume of goods sold last week at the highest level in years, with inventories ten to 15 per cent under a year ago.

The extent of recovery in railroad earning power is shown by the estimate that Class 1 railroads had net operating income in November of around $50,000,000, a gain of 54 per cent over November last year, when the total net was $32,440,920.

With the London market closed for the holiday and other foreign exchanges showing little change, securities on the New York Exchange edged downward yesterday, with volume totaling 1,200,000 shares. Industrial stocks showed a loss of 0.95 point for the day, closing at 150.43 in the Dow-Jones averages; rails were off 0.47 point, to 31.55; utilities showed a loss of 0.55 point, to 21.49.

Sales of Ford and Mercury cars and Ford trucks totaled 37,161 units in the first 20 days of December; sales reported continuing in excess of production.

Federal Judge Coxe has ruled that the principal place of business of McKesson & Robbins was in the southern federal district of New York, which gives the federal court in New York jurisdiction in the reorganization proceedings of the corporation.

Granby Consolidated Mining declared a dividend of 15 cents, first since 1936. Hershey Chocolate declared regular quarterly of 75 cents on common and regular quarterly of $1 and an additional $1 on convertible preference stock. Reading Co. voted 25 cents on common. Lane Bryant ordered regular quarterly preferred dividend of $1.75. Southern Greyhound Lines declared an initial dividend of 50 cents on common; also initial quarterly of 30 cents on 6 per cent convertible preferred and a quarterly of 30 cents on the 6 per cent non-convertible.

A bulletin sent to its members by the National Association of Manufacturers, says that "A factory worker in the United States can buy four times as much food and clothing with an hour's wages as a German worker; nine times as much as an Italian worker, and nearly 12 times as much as a Russian worker." This report says that purchasing power of wages in the U. S. and various foreign countries follows very closely the degree of freedom allowed individuals and business.

NEW YORK CURB EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS AT 2 O'CLOCK

Aluminum Corp. of Amer.	155¾
American Cynamid B	27
American Gas & Electric	31
American Superpower	⅝
Associated Gas & Elec. A	⅝
Bliss, E. W.	14⅛
Carrier Corp.	15½
Cities Service N.	6⅝
Creole Petroleum	22¾
Electric Bond & Share	9⅞
Equity Corp.	½
Ford Motor Ltd	3⅜
Gulf Oil	38
Hecla Mines	9
Humble Oil	69¼
International Petro. Ltd	26½
Lehigh Coal & Navigation	3⅛
Newmount Mining Co	76½
Niagara Hudson Power	7
Pennroad Corp.	1⅝
Rustless Iron & Steel	10½
St. Regis Paper	2⅞
Standard Oil of Kentucky	17¼
Technicolor Corp.	2⅜
United Gas Corp.	2¾
United Light & Power A	2⅛
Wright Hargraves Mines	8⅛

15 Most Active Stocks

The 15 most active Stock Exchange issues on Tuesday, December 27, were:

	Volume	Close	Net change
Comwlth & So.	24,400	1¼	.....
Columbia Gas	20,800	6⅛	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wright	20,100	8⅜	+ ⅛
Standard Brands	17,100	6½	.....
United Corp.	17,000	2⅝	— ⅛
Bendix Aviat.	16,900	27¼	+ ⅛
Socony Vacuum	16,600	12⅞	.....
North Pacific	14,300	13	+ ⅛
Greyhound	14,100	19⅞	—1
N. Y. Central	12,700	19⅞	— ⅜
Spiegel, Inc.	12,100	34	+ ⅜
Gen. Motors	12,000	49⅝	— ⅛
U. S. Steel	12,700	66⅝	—1⅛
Amer. Radiator	11,600	17¼	— ⅛
South. Pacific	11,000	28⅝	— ⅛

We hereby warn our official biographer that any letters that may turn up, of more than one page, alleged to have been written by us, are fakes.

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—The stock market followed the lead of armament shares in a rally today.

Buying on a fairly broad scale continued to lift prices in the afternoon and numerous shares near the final hour showed gains ranging to 2 points. The rise started in aircrafts, spotlighted by the administration proposals for training 20,000 youths annually for the air services.

With trading increasing on the advance, transactions ran at the rate of about 1,900,000 shares for the full session.

Quotations by Morgan Davis & Co., members of the New York Stock Exchange, 15 Broad street, New York city, branch office 48 Main street, R. B. Osterhoudt, manager.

QUOTATIONS AT 2 O'CLOCK.

A. M. Byers & Co.	11½
American Can Co.	98¾
American Chain Co.	22⅝
American Foreign Power	2¾
American International	6½
American Locomotive Co.	29½
American Rolling Mills	20⅝
American Radiator	17⅜
American Smelt. & Refin. Co.	50⅝
American Tel. & Tel.	146¼
American Tobacco Class B	87
Anaconda Copper	34⅛
Atchison, Top. & Santa Fe	39¾
Aviation Corp.	7
Baldwin Locomotive	16¼
Baltimore & Ohio Ry.	7⅜
Bethlehem Steel	76½
Briggs Mfg. Co.	29⅞
Burroughs Add. Mach. Co.	17¾
Canadian Pacific Ry.	5½
Case, J. I.	88
Celanese Corp.	23
Cerro De Pasco Copper	48¾
Chesapeake & Ohio R. R.	35⅝
Chrysler Corp.	82
Columbia Gas & Electric	6¼
Commercial Solvents	9½
Commonwealth & Southern	1⅜
Consolidated Edison	29⅛
Consolidated Oil	8½
Continental Oil	29⅞
Continental Can Co.	40¼
Curtiss Wright Common	6⅞
Cuban American Sugar	4⅞
Delaware & Hudson	23½
Douglas Aircraft	77½
Eastman Kodak	180½
Electric Autolite	33⅝
Electric Boat	13¼
E. I. DuPont	150½
General Electric Co.	42⅝
General Motors	49¾
General Foods Corp.	38¼
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	37¼
Great Northern, Pfd.	29¼
Houdaille Hershey B.	15½
Hudson Motors	7⅞
International Harvester Co.	56¼
International Nickel	55
International Tel & Tel.	8⅝
Johns Manville Co.	102½
Kennecott Copper	42
Lehigh Valley R. R.	4¾
Liggett Myers Tobacco B	100¾
Loew's Inc.	52⅝
Lorillard Tobacco Co.	20⅝
Mack Trucks, Inc.	27½
McKeesport Tin Plate	15½
Montgomery Ward & Co.	51⅝
Motor Products Corp.	16½
Nash Kelvinator	7⅞
National Power & Light	7¼
National Biscuit	25⅝
National Dairy Products	12½
New York Central R. R.	20⅛
North American Co.	21¼
Northern Pacific	13⅜
Packard Motors	4⅛
Paramount Pictures 2nd Pfd	12¼
Pennsylvania R. R.	22½
Phelps Dodge	42
Phillips Petroleum	42⅛
Public Service of N. J.	30¼
Pullman Co.	36¼
Radio Corp. of America	7⅝
Republic Steel	24
Reynolds Tobacco Class B	43
Sears Roebuck & Co.	73⅛
Socony Vacuum	13
Southern Railroad Co.	22½
Standard Brands	6⅝
Standard Gas & El. Co.	3⅛
Standard Oil of New Jersey	51¼
Standard Oil of Indiana	27
Studebaker Corp.	7⅜
Texas Corp.	46½
Texas Pacific Land Trust	8⅜
Timken Roller Bearing Co.	50½
Union Pacific R. R.	93
United Gas Improvement	11
United Aircraft	41¾
United Corp.	2⅞
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	45¾
U. S. Rubber Co.	51⅜
U. S. Steel	67
Western Union Tel. Co.	22½
Westinghouse El. & Mfg. Co	115
Woolworth, F. W.	48¾
Yellow Truck & Coach	18¼

Christmas Program Given By Children of Pine Bush

Pine Bush, Dec. 28—A Christmas program was given at the Pine Bush school under direction of Esther Besdesky, Thursday evening, December 22. The following took part: Nancy Green, Donald Van Vliet, Wallace Terwilliger, Virginia Miller, Richard Miller, Henry Davis, Philip Davis, Jane Davis, Augusta Simpson, Ethel Jones, Francis Van Vliet, Billie Davis, Lois Benjamin, Barbara Benjamin, Patty Scholten, Pauline Miller, Granville Miller, George Benjamin, Francis Van Vliet, Fred Simpson and George Green. Presents were distributed by Santa Claus.

Will End Pilgrimages

Washington, Dec. 28 (AP)—Colonel Francis C. Harrington, the new WPA administrator, said today he expected to put an end to periodic pilgrimages of disgruntled works progress employes to Washington—by "settling their problems and moving on to something else." He gave his statement informally to reporters after a conference with David Lasser, president of the Workers' Alliance, and Herbert Benjamin, secretary-treasurer of the labor organization. It was his first meeting with WPA labor leaders. Lasser and Benjamin have headed innumerable missions of protest to Harry L. Hopkins, former administrator, and Aubrey Williams, former deputy administrator.

Drinking Drivers Asked to Leave Cars in Garage

In announcing receipt today of a letter from Carroll E. Mealey, state commissioner of motor vehicles, urging a special effort during the closing days of the year to "keep the drinking driver from behind the wheel and the intoxicated pedestrian off the streets and highways," Sheriff Abram T. Molyneaux heartily endorsed the Commissioner's suggestion that persons planning New Year's Eve festivities leave their automobiles at home in the garage if their plans include drinking.

Stating that the Christmas to New Year's Day period annually produces "an appalling motor vehicle accident toll," the letter notes that last year 57 persons lost their lives in New York state traffic accidents during the last seven days of 1937, seven of this number dying as the result of New Year's Eve accidents. Continued support of local enforcement officers is asked in "cutting down this aimless slaughter."

"A moment of carelessness, coupled perhaps with a few drinks taken in the season's spirit of good fellowship and we view as the result the often irreparable harm wrought by a traffic accident," said the commissioner. "Holiday joy is stilled by death in many homes; in others the season's 'peace on earth' is shattered by the pitiful cries of the maimed."

In conclusion Commissioner Mealey writes: "We know that you heartily agree with us that the drinking operator has no place in modern traffic. Prevent him from driving, for his own sake and the sake of others, and you will have made a very substantial contribution to public safety. At the same time it would be well to give some thought to the drinking pedestrian. Don't let him risk his life by aimless walking on the highways or in the city streets."

About the Folks

Charles L. Davis, formerly of Kingston and now of Detroit, Mich., is reported seriously ill in a hospital.

Mrs. Mary Walker, Miss Margaret Slater and nephews spent Christmas with Miss Cornelius Elsworth in Hurley.

Mrs. Fred Pruden, formerly of this city, who has been seriously ill at the home of her daughter in Newark, N. J., is somewhat improved.

HIGH FALLS

High Falls, Dec. 28—On Friday evening of this week the combined choirs of the High Falls Reformed Church and the Stone Ridge Reformed Church will give a sacred cantata entitled "The Child of Bethlehem," by Louise E. Staus in the High Falls Reformed Church. The program will be one hour and will include solos, duets, trios and chorus work. The public is invited to come and hear this cantata.

Miss Lena Otis of New Hyde Park, Ray Hendrickson of Valley Stream, L. I., Al Otis of New Paltz and Miss Kathryn Quick of High Falls spent Sunday evening at the home of Dorothy Ransom.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stokes spent Christmas with Mr. Stokes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stokes.

Mrs. M. Feinberg, daughter, Joan, of the Bronx, Mrs. Benjamin Lipschitz and Miss Sara Feinberg of New York are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Feinberg.

A gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Schoonmaker on Christmas Day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clearwater, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hotaling, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Countryman, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Countryman and family, Mrs. Bell Countryman, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pappas, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sulton and family, Karl Weston, Miss Hester Houghtaling, William Weston and Mrs. Effie Smedes and Miss Roberta Clearwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Christiana and sons, Ernest and Wilbur, spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Will Boucher, of Mellonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Krom of New Jersey are spending their Christmas holidays with Mrs. Ella Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Connor and daughter, Alta, spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lewis.

Mary Delamater spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. LeVere Pettibone.

Mr. and Mrs. DeForest Bishop, Mrs. Celia Lasher of Kingston and Ray Vivian were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ransom on Christmas Day.

Miss Cynthia Van Wagnen entertained friends from Yonkers during Christmas holidays.

New Seven-Ton Clock Records Everything

BRUSSELS.—A clock weighing seven tons which has 144 dials has been invented by a 19-year-old Belgian engineer, Edgard Heitman.

The clock records not only the time of the day, but the day, week, month, season, and year, with a special device for leap years. It also shows sunrise and sunset, hours of daylight and darkness, and tides.

Other dials will be added to the clock, the inventor says, to record phases of the moon and the planets.

To Try Eskimos as Reindeer Herders

Canada Seeks to Solve the Problems in Arctic.

OTTAWA.—Canada's efforts to put the 2,500 Eskimo of the Western Arctic on a permanent basis as regards food and clothing, which has already taken eight years and cost more than $250,000, reaches another milestone when a herd of 800 reindeer will be turned over to four Eskimo families.

Eight years ago a herd was purchased in Alaska by the government and the long drive to the reserve on the Arctic coast east of Mackenzie river delta began. Five years later, in the spring of 1935, the herd, slightly under 2,500 strong, arrived at its destination, travel-worn and after almost incredible hardships had been suffered by the deer and herders.

Dr. J. A. Urquhart, who has supervision over the herd, has presented his first oral report of the progress of this national undertaking.

In addition to reindeer slaughtered for food to supply the herders and some 200 slaughtered each year to provide food for Northern missions, the herd has increased to about 5,000 in three years.

The average weight of the herd today is at least 15 pounds greater than when the reindeer arrived and they are much improved in general fitness. Weight of the steers ranges from 165 to 170 pounds and the does from 145 to 150 pounds.

Owing to the highly developed herd instinct, it is impossible to segregate fewer than 800.

Experience of the last three years has enabled the herders to protect the animals from warble fly, foot-rot and wolves, three enemies of the reindeer.

Eskimo have shown an aptitude as herders for the government and Dr. Urquhart expects they will be successful herders of their own.

Rabbits Are Important Business Now in Kansas

GREENSBURG, KAN. — Rabbits may be a bedtime story in some places, but here in Kiowa county they are business.

For almost 50 years live rabbits have been shipped from Greensburg to all parts of the United States. It was the Crowe Animal company here which gave to the country the famous black-tailed jack rabbit of legendary speed.

Catching the rabbits provides work for men and horses during the day and for men and motorcars at night.

The day shift uses a net large enough to encircle several acres of land. Men on horses chase the rabbits into the net. The riders must leap from their horses and capture the rabbits before they can gnaw holes in the net and escape.

At night three men comprise a rabbit-hunting crew. One drives the automobile, one works a spotlight used to blind the rabbits and the third man throws his hand net over the rabbit before it recovers sight. A night crew usually brings back 30 to 40 rabbits in that manner.

Speed is bred into the Kansas jack rabbit by the necessities of nature. The prairie offers little protective covering and few hiding places against the rabbit's natural enemies. Hence only the swift rabbits survive.

Coal Converted Into Oil In New Pressure Process

COLLEGE PARK, MD. — High-grade American bituminous coal can easily be converted into oil, Dr. H. H. Storch, of the bureau of mines, reported to the University of Maryland college of engineering. The change, he said, is made under pressure in a reaction vessel. In about two hours, approximately 75 per cent of the coal is converted into heavy oil. The other 25 per cent is released as gaseous hydrocarbons.

He said the bureau of mines planned to experiment with lower grades of coal to see if they could be reduced in a similar manner. Although America is not faced with an immediate oil shortage, Storch said United States coal deposits were much more extensive than oil deposits. He said plans for breaking down coal would be particularly valuable to some European countries which have few natural oil reserves.

Case Is Air Conditioned For Stradivari Violins

WASHINGTON.—The Stradivari violins in the Whittall collection at the Library of Congress will be air cooled when their new exhibit cases are completed.

Glass front chambers for each instrument—three violins, a cello and a viola—are being built in the Whittall pavilion. Each chamber will be equipped with separate air-conditioning apparatus to maintain constant temperature and humidity.

Care of the instruments — more than 200 years old and among the finest rare old violins in the world—has been a constant problem since the library acquired them in 1936. To maintain them in perfect condition they must be played regularly and must not be exposed to violent changes of temperature and humidity. The cooling system, it was said, will cost $30,000.

Dandelions Grow

Syracuse (AP)—Dandelions in December? They have them out Skaneateles way. Just to prove it, a resident of Skaneateles sent a Syracuse newspaper a letter to which was attached a dandelion bloom, freshly picked, the sender asserted, on the shore of Skaneateles Lake.

Local Death Record

The funeral of Irwin Ronk, retired employe of The Freeman, and widely known newspaper man, will be held from the late home, 108 Pearl street, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with burial in Mountain View cemetery, Saugerties.

Mrs. Veronica Fett Mayer, wife of Theodore J. Mayer, died at an early hour this morning at her home, 63 Brewster street, after a long illness. She is survived by her husband to whom she was married January 29, 1893, and several nieces and nephews. Mrs. Mayer was a member of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer. Funeral services will be held at her residence Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment will be in the Montrepose Cemetery.

The funeral of George S. Clarke of the Neighborhood Road, who was fatally injured when he walked into the side of an automobile on Monday, will be held from the late home on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lucy Manning Clarke; five children, George, John and Philip and Mrs. Alfred Mantovini, at home, and Mrs. Joseph Hafner of Bloomington; two brothers, John of Roscoe and Clarence of Liberty, and a sister, Mrs. Marguerite Rice of Liberty.

Ulysses Grant Brundage, 74, retired inspector of the state institution for male defective delinquents at Napanoch, died at his home in the village of Napanoch, Tuesday. Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Stanley Kane of Newburgh, Mrs. Harry Haines of Paterson, N. J., and Miss Emma Brundage of Napanoch; one son, David Brundage of Woodbourne, and one grandson, Edsell Brundage. The funeral will be held from the H. E. Humiston Funeral Home, Kerhonkson, Friday at 2 p. m. The remains will be put into his private mausoleum in Fantinekill cemetery, near Napanoch.

Funeral services for Mrs. Barbara Post of 16 Fair street were held Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the W. N. Connor Funeral Home, 296 Fair street, with the Rev. William Grier of the Church of the Holy Cross officiating. The body was transported to Brooklyn, where on Tuesday ritualistic services were conducted at the grave by Augusta Lodge No. 368, Ladies' Auxiliary of The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, of New York city. The services were in charge of Mrs. Hazel Sullivan, president, assisted by the treasurer, Mrs. Mary Russell, the chaplain, Mrs. Ella Murkere and Mrs. Mary Hildebrandt, outside guard. Burial was in the Lutheran Cemetery, Brooklyn.

Daniel J. Dargan, who had been ill for some time, died at the Bonesteel Sanitarium in Saugerties Sunday morning. He is survived by a wife; three daughters, Mrs. Clarence Myer and Mrs. Joseph Canger of Saugerties and Mrs. Raymond Hommel of Goshen; three sons, Anthony Dargan and Thomas Dargan of Saugerties, and John J. Dargan of Newark, N. J.; two sisters, Mrs. George Graham and Miss Josephine Dargan of New York; and four brothers, Thomas Dargan of Schenectady and Andrew Dargan, John Dargan and William Dargan of New York city. The funeral was held in St. Mary's Church, Saugerties, this morning at 10 o'clock, with burial in St. Mary's Cemetery, Barclay Heights.

Word has been received here recently of the death of Mrs. Fannie Dunlap in Brooklyn, December 17. Mrs. Dunlap went to Brooklyn just before Thanksgiving to spend some time with her brother, the Rev. Charles Schweikert, D. D. It was learned that on the Sunday morning following Thanksgiving she went walking and fell on the pavement. She was removed to a Long Island Hospital, where it was learned her hip was fractured. She died a short while later and the funeral service was conducted by her brother, who is pastor of a Baptist Church. Mrs. Dunlap was well known in Kingston, where she had lived for many years. She was employed until recently at the Stuyvesant Hotel.

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Marie Sills, who died here Christmas morning were held in St. Joseph's Church this morning, where a requiem Mass was offered for the repose of her soul by the Rev. John D. Simmons. At the conclusion of the Mass the burial was made in St. Mary's cemetery. Father Simmons giving the final blessings at the grave side. Following Mrs. Sills' death her body was taken to the Henry J. Bruck Home for Funerals where relatives and friends gathered to pay their respects of devotion to her memory. Father Simmons was also a caller, and led those assembled in the recitation of the Rosary. The casket bearers were Lester Barth, Harold Middaugh, Emerson Mayes, Matthew Spina, Alfred Messinger and Edward Geschwinder.

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To Hold Meeting

The annual meeting of The Olive Co-operative Fire Insurance Company will be held at the home office, Kingston, on January 12 at 10:30 a. m. for the election of directors for the ensuing year. A. S. Weeks is president and Jacob V. Merrihew, secretary.

DIED

BRUNDAGE—At his home, Napanoch, N. Y., Tuesday, December 27, 1938, Ulysses Grant Brundage, aged 74 years.

Funeral services will be held at the Funeral Home of H. E. Humiston, Kerhonkson, Friday at 2 p. m. Interment in the Fantinekill Cemetery.

CLARK—In this city, December 26, 1938, George S. Clark.

Funeral at residence, Neighborhood Road, Katrine, on Thursday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Montrepose Cemetery, Kingston.

Liberty papers please copy.

DE LUCA—Frank DeLuca died at the Kingston Hospital Monday, December 26, 1938.

Funeral service from the home of his father, Vincenzo DeLuca, at East Kingston, Thursday, December 29, 1938, at 9:30 a. m. and from St. Colman's Church at 10 a. m., where a requiem high Mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment in the family plot at St. Mary's Cemetery, Kingston, N. Y.

DIXON—Katherine E., (nee Barmann) on Monday, December 26, 1938, wife of the late Charles T. Dixon, beloved mother of Catherine S. Dixon of this city, sister of Mrs. James Sweeney of New York city, Mrs. George Kuhnen of Kingston, Balthasar, Peter and Charles Barmann of Kingston.

Funeral will be held from the late home, 80 West O'Reilly street, Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock thence to St. Joseph's Church where a requiem Mass will be offered for the repose of her soul at 9 a. m. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery. Calling hours 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m.

Attention, C. D. of A., Court No. 164, Santa Maria.

All members of C. D. of A., Court No. 164, Santa Maria, are requested to meet in a body at the home of our late sister, Katherine E. Dixon, 80 West O'Reilly street, this evening, December 28, at 8 o'clock, to recite the Rosary.

Marion Tunney, Grand Regent.

MAYER—In this city, December 28, 1938, Veronica Fett, wife of Theodore J. Mayer.

Funeral services will be held at her residence, 63 Brewster street, Saturday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Montrepose Cemetery.

RONK—In this city, December 27, 1938, Irwin Ronk.

Funeral at residence, No. 108 Pearl street, Friday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Mt. View Cemetery, Saugerties.

WASILEWSKI—Suddenly in this city Sunday, December 25, 1938, Stanley, beloved husband of the late Mary Wasilewski and loving father of Joseph, Frank, Theodore and Jennie.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the Lawrence T. Scanlon Funeral Home Thursday morning at 9 o'clock and at 9:30 at the Church of the Immaculate Conception where a high Mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment in the family plot in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

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THE VERDICT OF THE JUDGE was favorable in this case, since it's Lewis Pecora making his debut as a N. Y. night club singer with parents, Justice and Mrs. Ferdinand Pecora, listeners.

MORE THAN SHAFTS OF HUMOR were used by Humorist Irvin S. Cobb (right) to net his limit, in bucks, during a Texas deer hunt. His companion, Tom Hogg (left), also did well.

SEEDLESS WATERMELON developed by Cheong-Yin Wong, Chinese graduate student at East Lansing, Mich., may be a boon to watermelon fans. Wong, showing a seedless melon (right) says that some grow pear-shaped and declares flavor unimpaired.

TO 'PUT ON THE DOG' in what your dog puts on, follow this fashion tip from the Kennel club in London, England, where two poodles from Paris wore a model combining pants and a single breasted coat. Of 5,878 entries in the show, cocker spaniels led the list with 301.

BEWARE HYSTERIA in an armament race fostered by propagandists, Sen. Bennett C. Clark (above), Missouri democrat, warned the nation in a recent Washington speech.

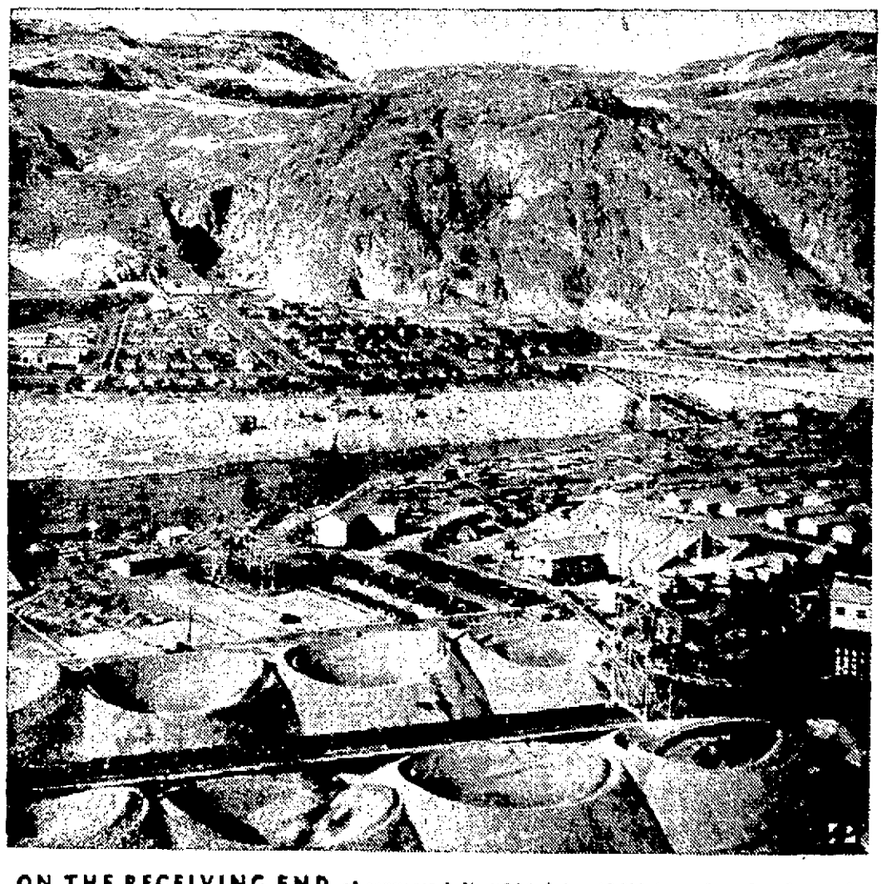
TO FAR-AWAY LANDS Christmas greetings were broadcast in Washington, D. C., by the children of foreign diplomats there, and after the broadcast the children claimed their native flags. Two at the broadcast were Marjorie Morgenstoerne (left), 7, daughter of the minister from Norway, and Jacqueline van Troostenburg de Bruyn, 6, daughter of a Netherlands legation secretary.

FACE TO FACE WITH HISTORY Byron Price (left), executive news editor of The Associated Press, and Raymond Massey, actor-portrayer of Abraham Lincoln, study an 1865 news account of the Great Emancipator's death, in connection with Christmas day broadcast highlighting Associated Press history, as part of which Mr. Massey gives two of Lincoln's famous addresses.

POLITICS WENT TO THEIR HEADS when Charles Crozer (left) and Peter Clough attended Philadelphia's headdress ball. The wild-eyed bat is called "Hitler's Dove of Peace"; mice labelled Chamberlain and Daladier nibble, on right.

EXOTIC GARB does Lily Pons, star of the Metropolitan opera, wear for role as "Lakme" scheduled for Dec. 30 in New York.

PASTORAL SYMPHONY in the barnyard occupies Dr. Artur Rodzinski, conductor of the Cleveland symphony who usually finds escape from melodic moods by going to his farm in Stockbridge, Mass. Musically important enough to have substituted for Arturo Toscanini, Dr. Rodzinski claims the goats are excellent pets, without any inclination to eat tin cans.



ON THE RECEIVING END of conveyor belts which bring 40,000 tons of sand and gravel daily are these stock piles from which concrete-mixers at Grand Coulee dam take their ingredients. The Grand Coulee dam in Washington is a federal Bureau of Reclamation project.

ORDER IN THE HOUSE required a new carpet in the House presidential box, decided Head Doorkeeper Joseph Sinnott (left), giving orders in Washington, D. C. The carpet-laying was done by William L. Clark (with foot on chair).

PUTTING HIS BEST FEET FORWARD, Senator-Elect Chandler Gurney, Republican from South Dakota tries out the desk in his office at Washington, D. C., where the nation's legislators are getting ready for congress opening Jan. 3.

PUFFS break out like a rash on the silhouet of new Schiaparelli evening suit. Note the puffs at shoulder, hip and pocket.

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Kingston Lodge Elect Officers

At the annual communication of Kingston Lodge, No. 10, held in the lodge rooms Tuesday evening, the following officers for 1939 were elected: Samuel D. Scudder, Jr., worshipful master; Thomas Lebert, senior warden; Frederick B. Buchholtz, junior warden; Frank D. Winne, treasurer; Ernest W. Kearney, secretary; Henry D. Darrow, Harry E. Ensign, William Hermance, trustees; John R. Van Kleeck, senior deacon; Reginald F. Lewsre, junior deacon; Gordon A. Craig, senior master of ceremony; Donald D. Curry, junior master of ceremony; Charles F. Lebert, chaplain; Paul F. Terpening, marshal; William F. J. Murray, assistant marshal; Edwin Gerlac, senior steward, Robert J. Baylor, junior steward; Daniel J. Bittner, organist; Edward N. Snow, tiler; Philip E. Kearney, historiographer; Charles F. Lebert, Leslie S. Lyons, Henry C. Swart, Masonic Association Temple trustees.

Worshipful Master Scudder appointed the following committees:

Relief committee—N. Guy Cochran, Herbert E. Thomas, George W. Van Anden, Kingston; Oscar Church, High Falls; Oliver Keator, Tillson; C. I. LeFever, Jr., Bloomington; LaMont Simpkins, Woodstock; Augustus Elmendorf, Hurley; John H. Saxe, West Hurley; S. B. Schwarzwaelder, Chichester; Karl Schwarzwaelder, New York city; M. Floyd Terwilliger, Ashokan.

Finance committee—Charles F. Lebert, Harold V. Clayton, George B. Styles.

Instruction committee—Reginald F. Leware, Gordon A. Craig, Donald D. Curry, Walter H. French, LaMonte V. Simpkins, William Hermance, Herbert J. Hyde, Henry A. Dean, George C. Swart.

Conductors—James R. Gordon, Walter H. French, Herbert J. Hyde, Henry A. Dean, George C. Swart.

The officers were installed by Right Worshipful Roger H. Loughran, past district deputy of the Greene-Ulster district, assisted by Charles F. Lebert and Roy L. Brower acting as marshals, after which delicious refreshments, consisting of hot turkey sandwiches, ice cream and coffee, were served by Stewards Edwin Gerlac and Robert J. Baylor.

The lodge looks forward to a very active year under the leadership of Worshipful Master Scudder.

SHOT 10 TIMES BY SPURNED SUITOR, LIVES

A blood transfusion gave physicians new hope of saving the life of Florence Gottwald (above), 26-year-old radio factory worker of Camden, N. J., after she was shot 10 times by a spurned suitor. Police were holding Emil Mascher, 46, (above), a WPA worker, who Detective Harry Kyler of Camden said had sobbed out a story of shooting the girl because she did not return his love.

NEW PALTZ NEWS

New Paltz, Dec. 28—In the medieval mystery play given in the Reformed Church Sunday at the vesper hour the place of stars were taken by candles. As at the first Christmas, stars played the important part. There were candles among the hemlocks about the choir and pulpit, those who acted as wise men, angels, and shepherds also carried candles with them which supplied human interest and dramatic action. Those taking part were. Helen Atkins, Harold Miller, Richard Lent, Charles Staats, Raymond Miller, Roland Johnson, Roland Turner, Richard Hornbeck, Robert Reid, Roy Dunham, George Corwin, Elwin Harp, Silas Matteson, Harry Zimmerman, Betsy Lent, Betty Staats, Edward Ashton, Rosanna Atkins, Marie Jenkins, Gloria Gardiner, Catherine Beebe, Helen Van Alst, Florence Turner, Peggy Grimm, Dorothy Atkins, Virginia Juckett and Doris Corwin.

The American Legion and auxiliary held their annual Christmas party on December 18. Mrs. Herbert Van Sicklen was chairman.

The play "The Ghost Train" given at the high school shortly before the Christmas vacation was a complete success, the cast was splendid and kept the audience in a state of laughter and fear. A large part of the success of the play was due to the property managers, Egbert Rhinehart, James Patrick, Jean Ford, Corrine Ackert and John Schreiber. The band also played a big part in the evening's event.

The Rev. Christopher McCann of St. Joseph's Church, New Paltz, and St. Charles Church at Gardiner gave a Christmas party to all the Gardiner children of all denominations in Moran's Hall, Friday evening.

Samuel Kevan and Margaret Kevan of Ohio Wesleyn University are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. McKeand Kevan.

Miss Helen Flood is spending her vacation at Chelsea.

Miss Elaine Kniffen of New York University is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Kniffen.

Wade Ackerman of New York and Mrs. V. B. Roach of Kingston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Erastus D. Gerald during the week.

Mrs. David DuBois entertained the card club of Forest Glen Friday evening at which time the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Louis LeFevre was celebrated. The hostess made a handsome wedding cake and as the guests marched to the dining room Mrs. Raymond DuBois played the wedding march. The "bride" cut the cake while the "groom" served ice cream. The decorations were in keeping with the holiday season.

Doris MacMurtrie and Evelyn Osterhoudt of the Normal School spent their holiday vacation at their home in Montgomery.

Eileen Bennett is spending the holiday vacation at Wappingers Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carroll entertained as their guests his mother, Mrs. Mary Carroll, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Terpenning of the New Paltz and Highland road entertained the following guests at Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Jere Miller of Poughkeepsie, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Terpening, Clifford Terpening, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Seaman and daughter, Jean, Mrs. Esther Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Webster Alsdorf and daughter, Janet, of Seaford, Long Island, also Mr. and Mrs. John Graham and daughter, Dorothy, and Mrs. Fritz Gellrich.

Edith Duncan is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. William Burger at Staatsburg.

Francis Buchanan, who teaches at Baldwin, L. I., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dunham of West Islip, L. I., are spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Shaw on Eltinge avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Powell of Schenectady are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Martin and son, Ralph Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Erastus D. Gerald and the Misses Hilda and Myra Gerald were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Roach in Kingston.

Mrs. Hiram Relyea entertained guests on Christmas Day.

Miss Betty Wright spent the holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs. Robert J. Wright, in Poughkeepsie.

Miss Bernice DuBois of Wallkill is spending the school holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs. Herman DuBois.

Abraham Rosenthal, student at New Paltz Normal School, has recently been granted membership in Epsilon Delta Chi, the honorary teaching society. Mr. Rosenthal has just completed his senior teaching in Carmel.

Land Program Opposed

Washington, Dec. 28 (AP)—The Commercial Club of Rhame, N. D., asked Senator Frazier (R., N. D.) today to oppose further purchases by the government of surrounding farm land under its submarginal land program because it "will render our business and residence property practically valueless." Rhame is in Bowman county, southwestern North Dakota, where 2,427 of the 5,119 inhabitants were on relief in October. Repeated drouths and grasshopper plagues have swept the area. "Practically all of the business men ... are facing financial disaster," said the club which urged the government purchase the town if the farm purchases are not halted.

Party Is Postponed

Due to the fire in the Odd Fellows Hall on Broadway and Brewster street, the Christman party of the Rebekah Lodge will be postponed until a future date.

Texas Woman Finds 'Copy' Of Ulster County Gazette

Another copy of the Ulster county Gazette has shown up. This time in Tahoka, Texas. The Lynn County News of Tahoka in its issue of December 23, carries a front page story of the find to the effect that when children of Mrs. Scott Davis looked into an old family Bible following her death to procure data as to her birth, marriage, etc., they found one treasure they did not know she possessed, a copy of the Ulster County Gazette, published at Kingston, N. Y., on January 4, 1860.

"This paper therefore, if authentic, lacks just a few days of being 139 years old," says the Texas newspaper article. The article also reprints liberally of articles carried in the copy of "The Gazette."

CHIP OFF THE OLD BLOCK. young Jean Daladier (right) emulated his father, French premier Daladier, in leadership, by founding a patriotic French youth organization even while Italians were demanding French-ruled Corsica and Tunisia.

Lights of New York

By L. L. STEVENSON

Eerie: On occasions, the "Public Notices" columns of local newspapers come out with something that intrigues my interest and excites my fancy. For instance, this one which appeared recently in an afternoon paper: "Haunted house needed immediately. Must have substantial background, guaranteed quantity of hair-raising spooks." Before seeing that ad, my idea was that there was no market for haunted houses and that instead of being wanted, they were avoided, especially at night. But then, as has been said before, anything can happen in New York.

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Variation: In the mail came this invitation from a bridge club operator, who is also a playwright: "Average players winning for a change! During the sessions we have held thus far, players winning some share of the prizes who haven't won in ages. Been playing in those 'dog fight' duplicates and been torn, figuratively, limb from limb! Nice and quiet at our duplicates. No vituperation; no screaming and roaring. And no hungry players who must win regardless. Hope to see you soon." The invitation was not accepted. There must be a catch to it somewhere.

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Statistics: Bea Wain, a soloist at the International Casino, had a few minutes to spare the other evening about 11:15, the time theaters were leaving out, so she spent them digging up some figures for this department. In the one-minute interval between light changes, 85 taxicabs, every one filled, rolled along Forty-fifth street. On Broadway, cabs sped by at the rate of 210 in a five-minute period. Pedestrians edged along eight in a row and they passed Miss Wain at the rate of about 250 in three minutes. Most of those in the cabs were dressed formally but she counted 29 top hats among the walkers. And all this on an ordinary weekday night.

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Hobbies: New York, the city that speeds along under and above ground and saves seconds by risking life and limb in crossing streets against lights, still has time for hobbies, according to Dave Elman, whose mail always shows that a preponderance of hobbists live in the metropolis. There is the practicing physician who spends his spare time collecting penny banks and has 3,000 of them now, and the fellow who paints faces on eggshells. Other New York hobbies as recorded by Elman: Composing music on leaves, collecting bricks from historical homes, raising caterpillars, creating greeting cards from chicken wishbones, and as for the New Yorkers who collect books, stamps and matchbook covers, they run into big figures.

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Added Item: The collectors include Ernie Fiorito, band leader, whose specialty is antique pipes. At a stiff price, he recently acquired a Dutch pipe with a history dating back to the good burghers of old New Amsterdam. Returning to his home in Jackson Heights, the other afternoon, he saw his niece, Tessie, aged four, blowing soap bubbles from a window, his prized Dutch pipe in her tiny hand. He dashed into the house, grabbed the pipe and shouted: "Never do that—you'll break uncle's pipe!" And so agitated was he, the pipe slipped through his fingers and shattered on the floor.

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Broadway: A crowd watching the building of a new garage, while 30 stories above, a window cleaner hangs perilously from a ledge unnoticed . . . A group of sidewalk starers at Forty-eighth street bemoaning the fact that girls are wearing coats again . . . Window cigar makers drawing a crowd by racing to see which can turn out a cigar first . . . Policemen still wearing old-style raincoats . . . Seven boys in white sweaters each with a letter on his back . . . and the letters spell out the name of a movie. (Thanks to Andre Baruch.)

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Two New Guns Perfected For National Defenses

WASHINGTON.—The war department announced perfection of two new guns—a powerful antiaircraft gun and an armor-piercing antitank cannon—which will be major items in the program to strengthen national defenses.

Both guns have been standardized. Large scale production is expected to begin as soon as the next congress appropriates the necessary money.

In announcing completion of tests of the guns, the war department said that both emphasize speed and mobility and can be towed by trucks over highways or rough ground. Field tests proved them "highly effective."

The new antiaircraft gun is of 37 mm. caliber, automatic type, mounted on an all-around fire, four-wheel trailer. The unit has a 120-inch wheelbase, a 58-inch tread and weighs about 5,000 pounds. The tank cannon, also of 37 mm. caliber, is mounted on a carriage that can be towed by high-speed trucks or hauled short distances by manpower. The two-man crew is protected by armor. The unit is about 12 feet long, 5 feet wide, 3 feet high and weighs about 950 pounds.

Name Causes Trouble

Buffalo (AP)—Like names and like initials breed confusion. Take the Frank J. Brinkworths: Detective Frank J. Brinkworth, promoted to the plainclothes division of the Buffalo police force, is busy answering telephone calls for: Frank J. Brinkworth, patrolman. And vice versa.

Subterranean Apartments Underlie Old Edinburgh

"Look beneath the surface" is an old word to the wise, and it seems to apply to travel, too. At any rate, the traveler who fails to look beneath the surface of Edinburgh will miss half the fascination of this ancient city, declares an authority on Old World scenery.

Beneath the pavements and tall buildings of the modern Edinburgh an historic underworld is buried. Remnants of Roman roads, buried lakes and rivers and a honeycomb of subterranean apartments built centuries ago lie hidden under the city's surface. Recurrent legend also tells a mysterious tale of an underground passage which runs beneath the famous Royal Mile and connects the castle with Holyrood palace.

Fragments of old Roman pavements have been unearthed from time to time. One stretch was excavated in 1845-48, when Trinity hospital and church were demolished to make way for Waverly station. Another had earlier been unearthed along the North Back of the Canongate, and yet a third may be found near Portobello. The streams which run an underground course beneath the city are the Broughton Burn and River Tumble. Paved over in 1850, Broughton Burn ran through Broughton to the head of the Kirkgate at Leith. The Tumble's course lay between St. Cuthbert's church and King's park.

Most astounding, however, are the subterranean apartments. Built in the Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth centuries, they are practically inverted skyscrapers. The apartments were constructed for ordinary living purposes only, and were equipped with the usual furnishings of living rooms and bedrooms.

Two-Dollar Bills Rated As Unlucky; Not Popular

The two-dollar bill is considered unlucky and for that reason is unpopular. Such bills were first issued as legal tender notes in 1862. Several theories have been advanced to explain the superstition regarding them. It is said that they are considered unlucky because they are often confused with dollar bills. For this reason, relates a writer in the Indianapolis News, many people tear off one corner of all two-dollar bills which come into their possession.

A banker believes the superstition had its origin in the fact that counterfeiters often split the two-dollar bills in order to make two twenty-dollar bills out of one twenty and a two. It is also said that two dollars was usually the price formerly paid for a vote by corrupt politicians and that it was paid with a two-dollar bill. The possession of such a bill after election was facetiously said to be prima facie evidence that one had sold his vote. Gamblers especially regard the two-dollar bill as unlucky.

In 1925 the government made an unsuccessful attempt to popularize the two-dollar bill by inserting one of them in each pay envelope given to federal employees. Several newspapers offered to aid in the campaign by giving prizes for two-dollar bills containing certain serial numbers. The post office department, however, pronounced this practice a lottery and therefore a violation of postal laws.

Sturgeon Lives Longest

The more leisurely a fish is, the longer he lives. Most sluggish of Michigan fishes is the sturgeon, known to live as long as 63 years, and believed often to live 100 years. The female sturgeon does not spawn until she is 20 to 25 years old, relates a writer in the Detroit Free Press. Brook trout often do not live more than four years, although records show them to live a decade. Rainbow and brown trout are believed to live somewhat longer than brook trout. Smelt is another short-lived fish, with records showing only six years. Lake trout may live to be 20 years or more. Large-mouth bass have about a 17-year life span. Small-mouth bass generally do not live as long as the large-mouth species. Pike are believed to average slightly less than small-mouth bass. Rock bass are recorded at 13 years, bluegills at 11 and perch at 8 years. The age of fish is recorded by marks on their scales.

Almost Forgotten Islands

Among the most romantic islands in North America are the almost forgotten Magdalen islands, situated in the center of the Gulf of St. Lawrence and once owned by a famous Boston family. These islands are the last stronghold of the true Acadian spirit which flowered in the Canadian Maritimes during the Eighteenth century. Many quaint customs are retained by the inhabitants of these fertile, lonely isles, and the old Acadian tongue is spoken.

Old Wedding Custom

The custom of tossing shoes at weddings may have started from several ancient practices. In early days, one person gave a shoe to another to symbolize transfer of possession. Some authorities believe the practice dates back to the days of the savage, when the bridegroom seized his mate by force, and was pelted with missiles as he carried her away.

Losing Popularity

Utica (AP)—Utica's department of public buildings believes that the two-family house is rapidly losing its popularity. A report by Superintendent of Buildings John A. Dybas disclosed that not a single two-family house has been erected in the city in the past seven years.

Board of Health Staff Is Same

No change was made in the staff of officers of the Board of Health at the annual meeting held at the city hall on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The staff members are: Dr. L. E. Sanford, health officer; Dr. Harold Clarke, milk inspector; Dr. Philip Poley, meat inspector; Charles H. Gregory, plumbing inspector; Charles W. Shultis, sanitary inspector; Miss Mildred Schwab, registrar, and Mrs. Mary O'Neil, nurse.

The staff officers re-elected Tuesday will serve the board during 1939.

Wheat-Planting Record Is Claimed by Australia

MELBOURNE. — A Victorian farmer thinks he may have set up a world sowing record. Working day and night with the aid of powerful headlights, for six days, he sowed 920 acres of wheat in 120 hours.

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HOUSE—seven rooms, and garage, all improvements. 39 West Chester street.

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The Public Record office in Chancery lane, London, has a great treasure in the Domesday Book. In reality two volumes, the book records an ancient survey of the lands of England, made in 1086 at the command of William the Conqueror. Originally, tradition says, the books were stored in the Domesday chest, which is likewise preserved in the office.

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HOLIDAY SPECIAL — paperhanging, $3 per room; painting; price good two weeks only. Oscar Elmendorf. Phone 4011 or 1824-M.

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MOVING VAN—going to New York, December 23, 27, 29, 30, wants whole or part load either way; insurance. White Star Transfer Co., 60 Meadow street. Phone 164.

MOVING VAN—going to New York, Dec. 30, Jan. 3, 6, wants whole or part load either way. Loads insured. Kingston Transfer Co., Inc. Phone 910.

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ATTENTION! ALL MUSICIANS not working and places wanting bands for New Year's, list name. Don Boice, 144 Spring street.

BARTENDER—good on mixed drinks. The Avalon, phone 355-R-1.

EXPERIENCED FARMER—40 to 50, small family; must understand handling horses; good dry hand milker, able to operate tractor and repair farm machinery; $30 monthly, house, firewood and milk. Box FWF, Downtown Freeman.

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CASH buyers waiting for low priced farms; any location. MANN-GROSS.

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ESKIMO DOG—black and white; gone about two weeks. Finder please phone 1639-R.

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SUEDE GLOVE—color wine. Reward. Call 2175.

6.00x16 TIRE—and wheel for Chevrolet. Return Central Hudson Gas & Electric. Reward.

U. S. Officials Reject Catskill Creek Project

A petition for improvement of navigation facilities in the Catskill creek has been rejected by the U. S. War Department, it was learned today.

A statement issued by the department in answer to a request for improvements in the creek, indicated that present navigation on the creek did not warrant any work being done there at this time by the War Department.

"This adverse recommendation," states a government communication, "is based on the finding that the existing natural channel is adequate for the requirements of the reasonably prospective commerce and the creek is not worthy of improvement at this time."

Speed of Arrows and Bullets

The range and speed of an arrow cannot begin to compare with that of a rifle bullet. An arrow leaving the bow such as deer hunters use travels at a speed of from 120 to 135 feet per second, while the bullet from a 30-30 sporting rifle has a muzzle velocity of approximately 2,000 feet per second. The killing range of the arrow is seldom over 60 yards, while a rifle bullet has a range upward of 300 yards, but the usual kill is made from about 20 yards.

Indian University Failed

George Berkeley, the famous English philosopher, came to Newport, R. I., in the year 1729, with a royal charter in his hand and a plan to convert the Indians by making a university for them. It took him two years to find his scheme impracticable and he returned home, giving the mansion he had built at Newport and a fine library to Harvard and Yale.

England's Old Capital

The capital of England at the time of the Wessex kings—Winchester—was once the city of King Alfred. It saw the parliaments of William the Conqueror and Edward the Confessor's coronation and ranked in importance with London in medieval times. All that remains of its former greatness is the cathedral—the longest Gothic church in Europe.

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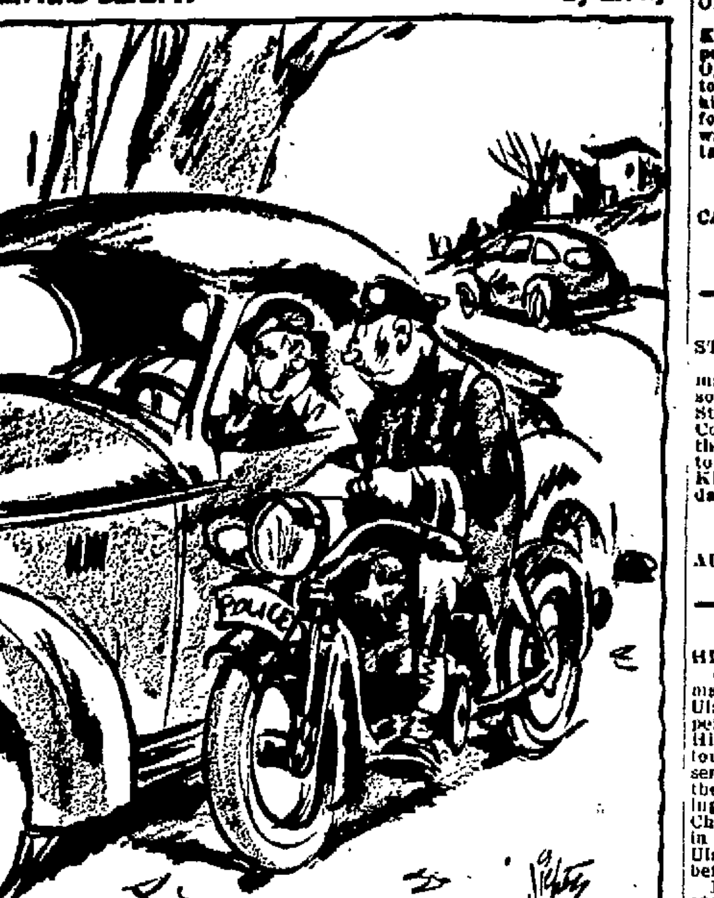

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Capacity Crowd For Sugar Bowl

New Orleans, Dec. 28 (AP)—Carnegie Tech, at first a rank outsider in the general public's odds book on the Sugar Bowl football game with Texas Christian January 2, steadily gained support today.

Respect for the easterners has grown since the Skibos set up a training camp at nearby Bay St. Louis, Miss.

Meanwhile, the Mid-Winter Sports Association announced all tickets to the game had been sold and predicted a crowd of around 50,000.

PORT EWEN NEWS

Port Ewen, Dec. 28.—Miss Stella DeGraff of Clinton avenue, Kingston, spent Monday with Mrs. Leona Dougherty at her home on Stout avenue.

Mrs. Elvin Hutchings and Miss Ettie Ellsworth were dinner guests Monday of Mrs. Theresa Slater and Miss Alice Neice.

Miss Florence Gross and her father, of Kingston, were callers in the village on Friday.

Miss Bertha Seibert is spending the holidays with her parents at their home on Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hutchings spent Monday with their nephew and his wife in Kingston.

Mrs. Haight and Miss Louise Van Aken of Kingston spent Christmas Day with Miss Van Aken's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Birdette Van Aken, of Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vanderveer left yesterday morning to motor to their winter home in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wonderly and daughter, Peggy Lee, were Sunday guests of Mr. Wonderly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wonderly, of Kingston.

Miss Margaret Card has returned to her work at Bellevue Hospital in New York city after spending the holiday week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Card, of Hamilton street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hutchings wish to take this opportunity to thank the Boy Scouts of Troop 26, the Epworth League and the Sunday school of the Methodist Church and the one known to them as "Santa Claus" for the Christmas boxes brought to them at their home in Bayard street.

Hope Temple, No. 80, Pythian Sisters, will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the lodge rooms of Pythian Hall. Following the business session the annual holiday party and pot luck supper will be held. Gifts for the cheer basket will be brought to the first meeting in January.

Mrs. Wesley Van Wagonen of Green street is ill at the Kingston Hospital.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Jump for Christmas dinner Monday were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jump and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. McKean of Hensonville, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn B. Jump and sons, Wallace and Leighton, of Windham, Dwight Barker of Greenfield, Mass., Miss Lane, of Kingston.

Miss Lois Jump spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cleen Barker of Greenfield, Mass.

Miss Mary Ricks of Kingston is spending the winter at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Lynn, of Hamilton street.

The young people of the Christian Endeavor Society went caroling through the village following the church service. They were accompanied by the young people of the Ulster Park Reformed Church. After their tour of the village they returned to the parsonage, where they were entertained with refreshments by the Rev. and Mrs. George Berens.

There will be no junior choir rehearsal at the Reformed Church this week.

The Epworth League went caroling through the village Christmas eve.

The Rev. and Mrs. George Berens entertained Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beesmer and sons, Kenneth and Ross, at dinner Monday. Callers at the parsonage were the Rev. John Heidenreich and daughter, Joan, of Kingston, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tomer, and daughter, Gertrude, of Highland Park, N. J.

On Monday the Rev. George Berens united Miss Alberta Clark and Kenneth Bovee of Astoria, L. I., in marriage. They were attended by James Wilson Tinney of Port Ewen and Miss Vivian Clark of Astoria, sister of the bride. The ceremony was performed in the Reformed Church in the presence of relatives of the bride and groom. Mr. Bovee is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bovee of the River Road. Mrs. Bovee is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Clark of Astoria and the granddaughter of Mrs. Eliza Ellsworth of this village. Mr. and Mrs. Bovee will reside in Astoria.

The Rev. and Mrs. Frank W. Coutant were dinner guests of the Rev. and Mrs. George Berens last evening. Following dinner the party went to Esopus to the Sunday school entertainment of the Methodist Church of which the Rev. Mr. Coutant is pastor.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society will hold a Christmas party Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church house.

The annual congregational meeting of the Reformed Church will be held Tuesday evening, January 3, at 8 o'clock in the church house.

Ed Van Wagonen, who has been ill, is convalescing at his home on Main street.

Monday dinner guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Frank W. Coutant were Mrs. Coutant's father, the Rev. Edwin Hunt, of Kingston and daughter, Miss Julia Hunt, of Bedford Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Howe of North Bergen, N. J., were holiday guests of Mrs. Howe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tinney, of Broadway.

Miss Sarah Townsend, Miss Minnie Townsend and Arthur Townsend of the village were dinner guests of Mrs. C. H. Polhemus Sunday.

Monday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. C. H. Polhemus of South Broadway were Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bonesteel and family, of Port Ewen, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Roosa and family of Stone Ridge and Miss Katherine Knoll of Ulster Park and Miss Alice Malanot of the Bronx.

Albert Munson is at his home on Salem street for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ellsworth and family have returned to their home on Salem street after spending the holiday week-end with Mrs. Ellsworth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lawrence, of Maplewood, N. J.

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of the Universal Road Machinery Company will be held at the office of the company in Kingston, Ulster County, N. Y., on Monday, January 9th, 1939, at 12:00 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, inspectors of election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such meeting.
Signed
H. STEPHENS
Secretary

PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing, under the provisions of Sec. 122 of the City Charter, will be held in the Council Chambers, in the City Hall, Kingston, N. Y., on Friday, Dec. 30th, 1938, at 7:30 P. M., by the Mayor, for the purpose of affording all persons interested an opportunity to consider the estimate of the Budget for the year 1939.
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK—In the Matter of CHARLES H. WILLIAMS, Debtor. In Proceedings for a Composition or Extension. To the Creditors of Charles H. Williams, of the Town of Ulster, in the County of Ulster, and district aforesaid.

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of November, A. D., 1938, the petition of the said Charles H. Williams, praying that he be afforded an opportunity to effect a composition or an extension of time to pay his debts under Section 75 of the Bankruptcy Act, was approved by this court as properly filed under said section; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the Supervisors' Rooms in the Ulster County Court House, in the City of Kingston, N. Y., on the tenth day of January, A. D., 1939, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, examine the debtor and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated, December 27, 1938.
GEORGE RUSK
Conciliation Commissioner

SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF ULSTER — Rondout Savings Bank, Plaintiff, against Elizabeth F. Duescher, Augusta A. Myers, James A. Phelan and James R. Cahill, doing business under the name and style of Phelan & Cahill of Kingston, N. Y., and the Modern Security Company of Philadelphia, Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale duly made and entered in the Ulster County Clerk's office, in the above-entitled action, on the 22nd day of December, 1938, I, the undersigned referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction on the 14th day of January, 1939, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Ulster County Court House, in the City of Kingston, N. Y., the premises directed by said judgment to be sold and therein described as follows:

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, situate in the City of Kingston, County of Ulster and State of New York, and described as follows:—Beginning on the bounds of lands of John H. Allen, on Holmes Street, now McEntee Street, and runs from thence easterly along Holmes Street, now McEntee Street, eight (8) feet to the bounds of John H. Allen; from thence southerly twenty-two feet to the bounds of John H. Allen; and from thence northerly about twenty feet to Holmes Street, now McEntee Street; the said lot being a three-cornered lot intended to be conveyed.

Also, ALL THAT CERTAIN LOT OF LAND, situate in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, N. Y., on the southeasterly side of Holmes Street, now McEntee Street, bounded and described as follows, viz:—Beginning at a point eight feet from the barn of party of the first part (John H. Allen) on said street, and runs thence along the southeasterly side of Holmes Street, now McEntee Street, sixteen feet, more or less, to lands of the party of the second part (Abram H. Allen); thence southerly along his said line twenty-two feet to lands of Edward Sherer (formerly); thence southerly along the line of said Sherer's land forty-five and one-half feet; thence easterly at right angles to his said line thirty feet; thence northerly on a line parallel with the said line of Edward Sherer forty feet; thence in a direct line northerly to the place of beginning forty-three feet.

Being the same premises as conveyed by Aaron Rice and wife to Jacob Fahnreck and Maria, his wife, by indenture of deed dated Dec. 13, 1913; acknowledged the same date; and recorded Jan. 15, 1914, in Liber 446 of Deeds, at page 88, Ulster County Clerk's office.

Being the same premises devised to the party of the first part and Frederick J. Fahnreck, by Maria Fahnreck, in and by her last will and testament, which was admitted to probate by the Surrogate of Ulster County, on January 24, 1928, and recorded in Book of Wills No. 12, at page 624. Being the same premises as conveyed by Frederick J. Fahnreck and Mary E. Fahnreck, his wife, to the party of the first part hereto by indenture of deed bearing date August 6, 1929, to be recorded as of the date of the recording of this mortgage; and the moneys hereby secured to be paid are to cover the purchase price of the interest of the said Frederick J. Fahnreck and Mary E. Fahnreck, his wife.

Dated, December 22, 1938.
WALTER H. GILL
Referee

HARRY H. FLEMMING
Plaintiff's Attorney
22 Ferry Street
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

OPPENHEIMER, JULIUS — Pursuant to order of Surrogate George F. Kaufman, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Julius Oppenheimer, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at 578 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y., at or before the 1st day of January, 1939.

Dated, July 27th, 1938.
SELIGMAN OPPENHEIMER
Executor

CASHIN & EWIG
Attorneys for Executor
Office and P. O. Address
460 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

STUDT, FRIEDERICKA—Pursuant to order of Surrogate George F. Kaufman, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Friedericka Studt, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at 15 First Avenue, Kingston, N. Y., at or before the 10th day of June, 1939.

Dated, December 6th, 1938.
LOUISE S. BODE
Administratrix

AUGUSTUS SHUFELDT
Attorney

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

HIGGINSON, GRACE G.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. George F. Kaufman, the Surrogate of the County of Ulster, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Grace G. Higginson, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his place of transacting business, in care of his attorney, Charles de la Vergne, at 277 Fair St., in the City of Kingston, County of Ulster and State of New York, on or before the 10th day of January, 1939.

Dated, Kingston, N. Y., June 28, 1938.
JOSEPH M. FOWLER
Executor

CHARLES DE LA VERGNE, Esq.
Attorney for Executor
Office and P. O. Address
277 Fair Street
Kingston, N. Y.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, BY THE GRACE OF GOD FREE AND INDEPENDENT TO—
Frederick De Garmo
GREETING:

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY CITED TO SHOW CAUSE at a Surrogate's Court to be held in and for the County of Ulster at the Surrogate's Office in the City of Kingston, N. Y. on the 9th day of January, 1939 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, why a certain instrument in writing, dated Jan. 22nd, 1937, and codicil thereto dated April .., 1938, relating to both real and personal estate, presented to said Surrogate's Court, should not be proved, admitted to probate and recorded as the last Will and Testament of Ida I. Kerr, late of the City of Kingston, Ulster County, deceased, upon the petition of Letitia K. Warren of the City of Kingston, the Executrix named therein.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused the seal of said Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS, [L. S.] Hon. George F. Kaufman, Surrogate of our said County of Ulster, at Kingston, N. Y., this 6th day of December, 1938.
C. K. LOUGHRAN
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

WINNE, ANNA L.—Pursuant to order of Surrogate George F. Kaufman, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Anna L. Winne, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at office of Fowler & Connelly, attorneys, 293 Wall St., Kingston, N. Y., at or before the 9th day of June, 1939.

Dated, December 7th, 1938.
JOSEPHINE B. HUDLER
NATHANIEL F. FOWLER
Administrators of the Estate of Anna L. Winne

FOWLER & CONNELLY
293 Wall St., Kingston, N. Y.
Attorney

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

COOLIDGE, ELIZABETH EVELYN—Pursuant to order of Surrogate George F. Kaufman, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ELIZABETH EVELYN COOLIDGE, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor, to the undersigned at its banking house, Wall St., Kingston, N. Y., at or before the 24th day of January, 1939.

Dated, July 20, 1938.
THE NATIONAL ULSTER COUNTY BANK of Kingston
Administrator with the Will annexed

FOWLER & CONNELLY
Attorneys for Administrator
293 Wall Street
Kingston, N. Y.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Rondout National Bank of Kingston for the election of Directors and such other business will be held at the banking house, 22 East Strand, Kingston, N. Y., on Tuesday, January 10, 1939, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 noon.
H. D. FAGHER
Cashier

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of The National Ulster County Bank of Kingston, for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the Banking House Building, 41 John St., in the City of Kingston on Tuesday, January 10, 1939, from 5 to 6 P. M.
CHARLES SNYDER
Cashier

Dated at Kingston, N. Y., Dec. 9, 1938.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Rondout for the election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting will be held at the banking house, No. 10 Broadway, in the City of Kingston, on Tuesday, January 10, 1939, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 12 Noon.
L. BEERES
Cashier

Dated at Kingston, N. Y., Dec. 9th, 1938.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that the annual election of directors of the State of New York National Bank will be held at the Banking House on the 10th day of January, 1939, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Polls open from 11 A. M. to 12 Noon.
Dated at Kingston, N. Y., December 9, 1938.
H. V. CLAYTON
Cashier

LOCAL BUS BULLETIN

Kingston bus terminals located as follows:
Short Line Bus Depot, 495 Broadway, opposite Central P. O.
Uptown bus Terminal, North Front St.; Central Bus Terminal, opposite West Shore Railroad Station; Downtown Bus Terminal at Johnston's Drug Store, 34 East Strand.

Ellenville-Kingston Bus
(Eagle Bus Line, Inc.)

Leaves Ellenville week-days: 7:05 a. m., 10:10 a. m.; 1:30 p. m.; Sundays: 10:10 a. m.

Leaves Kingston Central Terminal week-days: *8:30 a. m., 11:15 a. m.; 3:15 p. m., 5:15 p. m.; Sundays: 3:15 p. m.

Leaves Kingston Uptown Terminal week-days: 8:45 a. m., 11:20 a. m.; 3:30 p. m., 5:30 p. m. Sunday: 3:30 p. m.

*Runs school days only.
½ Fare on Saturdays

Kingston to Rosendale

Leaves Kingston, Crown Street Terminal (Uptown) daily except Sunday: 12 noon. Daily: *2:30, 3:40, 5, 5:40 p. m.

Leaves Central Terminal daily except Sunday: 8 a. m.; 12:15 p. m. Daily: 2:45, 3:30, 5:10, 5:50 p. m. Sunday only: 9:45, 11 a. m.

*Bus meets Day Line boat daily from July 1 through September 7. Thereafter daily except Sunday.

Leaves Tillson daily except Sunday: 7:10, 10:30 a. m.; 3:25 p. m. Daily: *11:45 a. m.; 1, 4:45 p. m. Sundays: 9, 10:20 a. m.

Leaves Rosendale daily except Sunday: 7:20, 10:45 a. m.; 3:35 p. m. Daily: 12 noon; 1:15, 5 p. m. Sundays: 9:10, 10:30 a. m.

*This bus runs to Day Line boat daily July 1 through September 7.

Busses make connections with trains and Hudson River Day Line boats at Kingston.

Busses do not go to Uptown Terminal on Sundays.

High Falls-Kingston Bus
(Eagle Bus Line, Inc.)

Leaves High Falls week-days: 7:45 a. m., 10:45 a. m.; 1:40 p. m. Saturday night: 6:45 p. m. Sunday: 10:45 a. m.

Leaves Kingston Central Terminal week-days: *9:45 a. m., 11:15 a. m.; 3:15 p. m.; 5:15 p. m. Sunday: 3:15 p. m.

Leaves Kingston Uptown Terminal week-days: 10:00 a. m., 11:20 a. m.; 3:30 p. m., 5:30 p. m. Saturday night: 10 p. m. Sunday: 3:30 p. m.

*Runs school days only.
½ Fare on Saturdays

White Star Line
Woodstock to Kingston

Leaves Woodstock daily except Sunday: 7:45 a. m., 11 a. m.; 2 p. m. and 4 p. m. Sundays only: 10 a. m. and 4:15 p. m.

Leaves Kingston Central Bus Terminal daily except Sunday: 8:45 a. m.; 12:30 p. m., 2:50 p. m., 5:15 p. m. Sundays only: 10:55 a. m.; 12:30 p. m., 5:15 p. m.

Leaves Uptown Bus Terminal daily except Sunday: 9 a. m.; 12:40 p. m., 3:15 p. m., 5:20 p. m. Sunday only: 11 a. m.; 12:40 p. m. and 5:20 p. m.

All trips will run to Willow with through passengers.

Busses make connections with trains and busses to and from New York City at Kingston.

Bus will meet West Shore trains arriving in Kingston at 3:44 p. m. Saturdays only.

Also meets train arriving in Kingston 10:55 a. m. Saturday and Sunday.

Effective October 1st. Half fare Saturday only.

Mountain View Coach Lines, Inc.

Leave Kingston for Poughkeepsie, Newburgh and New York City	Leave Kingston for Saugerties, Catskill and Albany
*8:30 A.M.	†8:00 A.M.
*11:15 A.M.	*10:30 A.M.
†1:20 P.M.	*12:30 P.M.
*3:20 P.M.	†2:20 P.M.
*5:15 P.M.	*4:20 P.M.
†‖7:30 P.M.	*6:40 P.M.
§9:15 P.M.	†‡8:30 P.M.

*Daily. †Daily except Sundays and holidays. §Sundays and holidays to Poughkeepsie only. ‖Trip runs only as far as Newburgh. ‡Trip runs only as far as Coxsackie.

Note: Departures shown above are from the Uptown Bus Terminal. The leaving time from the Kingston Bus Center will be 15 minutes earlier on northbound trips, and 15 minutes later on southbound trips.

FOR INFORMATION CALL
Kingston Bus Center......744 or 745
Uptown Bus Terminal..........1054

Pine Hill-Kingston Bus Corp.

Margaretville, Fleischmanns, Pine Hill

Leaves Kingston Central Terminal for Margaretville daily except Sunday: 6:45 a. m.; 12:45 p. m., 3:50 p. m. Sundays: 12:30 p. m., 3:50 p. m.

Leaves North Front Street Terminal daily except Sunday: 6:50 a. m.; 12:55 p. m., 3:35 p. m., 4 p. m. Sundays: 12:35 p. m. and 4 p. m.

Leaves Margaretville for Kingston daily except Sunday: 6:45 a. m., 9:30 a. m.; 3:30 p. m. Sundays: 9:30 a. m.; 2:40 p. m.

Bus leaving Cold Brook at 7:20 a. m. runs west side of reservoir to Kingston. Saturday trip runs one hour later.

Note: 3:30 p. m. bus leaving Central Terminal runs west side of reservoir to West Shokan and Cold Brook.

Bus leaving Kingston at 12:30 p. m. and 4 p. m. will run on west side of reservoir Sundays and on holidays if there are passengers.

Note: School bus will leave Chichester 7:20 a. m. school days only and arrive at Chichester 4:15 p. m. school days only.

Effective October 1st. Half fare Saturday only.

Creek Locks-Kingston Bus Line

Deyo and Jacquin, Props.

Leaves Kingston, Central Terminal: 8:30, 11:50 a. m.; 2:55, 5:10 p. m.

Leaves Crown Street Terminal: 8:45, 11:45 a. m.; 2:50, 5 p. m.

Leaves Kingston, Downtown Terminal: 8:55 a. m.; 12 noon; 3:05, 5:15 p. m.

Leaves Bloomington: 7:20, 8:05, 10:30 a. m.; 1:20, 3:45 p. m.

Leaves Eddyville: 7:25, 8:10, 10:25 p. m.

Leaves Creek Locks: 7:15, 8:45 a. m.; 1:25, 3:50 p. m.

Busses to hire for all occasions. Connect with busses and trains for New York City.

Adirondack Transit Lines, Inc.

Buses leave Kingston for New York daily at 3:00 a. m., 7:15 a. m., 9:30 a. m., 11:45 a. m.; 3:30 p. m., 5:15 p. m. Additional service on Friday, Saturday and Sunday at 1:30 p. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Buses leave New York for Kingston daily at 12:15 a. m., 8:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m.; 1:30 p. m., 5:30 p. m. and 7:15 p. m. Additional service on Friday, Saturday and Sunday at 4 p. m.

Kingston Terminal, Trailways Terminal, 495 Broadway, Opposite P. O. Tel. Kingston 744-745.

New York Terminal, Dixie Bus Center, 241 W. 42nd St., between 7 and 8th Aves. Tel. Wisconsin 7-5300.

ARROW BUS LINE
New Paltz to Kingston

Van Gonsic Bros., Props.
Schedule Subject to Change Without Notice

Leaves	Ex. Sun. A.M.	Ex. Sun. A.M.	Sun. Only A.M.	Ex. Sun. A.M.	Ex. Sun. P.M.	Ex. Sun. P.M.	Sun. Only P.M.	School Days P.M.	Sat. P.M.
New Paltz	6:10	7:00	8:05	8:50	12:10	4:20	5:10	2:20	1:10
Rifton	6:25	7:15	8:20	9:10	12:30	4:40	5:30	3:40	1:30
St. Remy	6:30	7:20	8:30	9:20	12:40	4:50	5:40	3:50	1:40
Eddyville	6:33	7:25	8:32	9:22	12:42	4:52	5:42	3:52	1:42
Wilbur	6:35	7:30	8:35	9:25	12:45	4:55	5:45	3:55	1:45

Leaves Kingston	Ex. Sun. A.M.	Daily A.M.	Ex. Sun. P.M.	Ex. Sun. P.M.	Daily P.M.	Ex. Sun. P.M.
Crown Street Terminal	7:00	9:50	12:10	2:50	5:50	4:50
Kingston Central Terminal	7:05	10:00	12:20	3:00	6:00	5:00
Kingston Strand	7:15	10:10	12:30	3:10	6:10	5:10

Busses Do Not Leave Crown Street Terminal on Sunday
Special Trips—Sat. Night Lv. New Paltz 6:10 p. m.
Lv. Kingston Crown Street Terminal (uptown) 10 p. m.—to New Paltz
BUSSES AND CLOSED CARS FOR HIRE FOR ALL OCCASIONS
Sunday Schedule on Holidays

New Paltz to Poughkeepsie
Subject to change without notice
Effective Feb. 7th, 1938
Leaves New Paltz

Ex Sun. A.M.	Ex Sun. P.M.	Daily A.M.	Daily P.M.	Sat. & Sun P.M.
6:45	*12:20	*8:30	1:30	6:00
	*5:05	*10:50	3:20	
			7:00	

*This trip connects with Newburgh line at Highland.

Poughkeepsie to New Paltz
Leaves Poughkeepsie

Ex Sun. A.M.	Daily A.M.	Daily P.M.	Sun. Only P.M.	Sat. Only P.M.
7:20	9:10	†2:30	†9:00	†9:30
†1:00	†11:30	5:10		
†4:30		†7:30		

†This trip takes on passengers at railroad station.
Sunday schedule on holidays.
For information call New Paltz 816 or 52. Poughkeepsie 446.

Followers of Local Boxers Anxious About Matches On Dennis-Muracco Card

Those local youngsters booked to box Friday on the special holiday week card, featuring four of the outstanding amateurs in the country, are causing plenty of concern on the part of local sports who are expected to pack the municipal auditorium Friday night.

Backers of Charley Raigins, Saugerties junior lightweight, who won the Diamond Belt championship of the Adirondack A. A. U., are anxious about how he'll make out with that new southern boxer now residing in Albany, Ruby Smith.

Smith has been showing well in the gym, but whether he'll be able to cope with the little Brown Bomber who tosses punches from all angles remains to be seen.

Eddie Fagan, who boxed Stanley Lewis, losing to the international champion, is the Binghamton blonde paired with Monk Armstrong, the other Diamond Belter from Kingston, who has climbed to basic heights at rapid pace.

Armstrong's admirers are eager to see him in action against the upstater, and the house should be well filled with rooters cheering for Monk Friday night.

Tiny Townsend, the local knockout puncher, who holds two kayo wins over Johnny Marable, rugged Albany football player, will stack up against Verne Roman, another capital city slugger, in one of the preliminaries.

Tony Garten, that little Poughkeepsie sensation, who gives a lot of action whenever he battles, is paired with Frank Oliva also of the Bridge City, in a grudge duel slated for three rounds. Indications are that their followers will be numerous when they clash in their three rounder.

Tony Juliano of Albany and Murray Wayne, Golden Gloves novice from Poughkeepsie, are matched for the third three rounder on the bill.

The top bouts, Jimmy Dennis, Binghamton belter who beat Bradley Lewis three weeks ago, vs. Joe Maurocco, New England middleweight, and Carmine Fatta vs. Harvey Lacelle, Canadian Olympic, now of Binghamton, are the talk of fistic circles.

That victory Dennis scored over Lewis was a surprise win, and so impressive was the showing the upstater made that he was booked immediately for a return engagement at the auditorium. Maurocco, his opponent, boxed here several months ago, labelling himself another sensation with the local fans.

Lacelle trimmed Charley Furero on the last card, defeating him so decisively that the customers clamored for a bout between the champ and Fatta. At first Lacelle wouldn't consent, on account of weight, but the Newburgher agreed to lose enough poundage to suit the Canadian star and the match went through for Friday night.

Baltz Five and Elks Victors In City League Cage Games

At the Myron J. Michael School gym Tuesday, the Baltz five defeated the Leonard Refrigerators, 34-28, in the City Basketball League schedule, as Lou Port came through with 10 points, individual high score of the contest.

The Baltz boys started with a lead and held it for the full route. Three successive long shots by Lou Port, followed by Celuch's pair of deuces, brought the Leonards closer to the Pajama outfit in the last quarter, but the leaders hung on as Bock and Port came through with shots.

In the other contests, the Elks chalked up another victory, defeating the Boston Cleaners, 26-22, and the Fullers forfeited to Kalamazoo.

The lead switched during the fourth quarter of the Elks-Cleaners game, as the Big Horns tallied 11 points to two for the Cleaners. At the beginning of this frame, the Cleaners led by 20-15. Toffel sank three fields in this canto and Van Deusen and Sapp scored to put the Elks in front.

Toffel tallied 14 points for the Elks. O'Hara and Silverberg scored seven and six respectively. Had the Cleaners been more accurate in shots from the free throw line, the story would have been in their favor. They converted only six out of 21 tries.

Two city league clubs, the Knights of Columbus and Hercules will be opponents in the preliminary to the Colonial-Firestone game at the auditorium on Tuesday, January 3.

Last night's boxscores.

Boston Cleaners (22)

	FG	FP	TP
Karroff, f	0	1	1
Baker, f	0	0	0
Ivan, f	1	2	4
Silverberg, c	0	6	6
O'Hara, g	2	3	7
Marsh, g	0	0	0
Avery, g	2	0	4
Total	5	12	22

Elks (26)

	FG	FP	TP
[illegible]	1	0	2
Van Deusen, f	2	0	4
Sapp, f	2	0	4
Brauer, f	0	0	0
Kelyea, c	0	0	0
Renn, c	1	0	2
Toffel, g	6	2	14
Williams, g	2	0	4
Total	12	2	26

Score at end of first half—Boston Cleaners 9, Elks 11. Fouls committed—Boston Cleaners 8, Elks 12. Referee, Van Etten; timekeeper, G. Geisler; time of halves, 20 minutes.

Leonard Refrigerator (28)

	FG	FP	TP
[illegible]	2	0	4
[illegible], f	1	0	2
Celuch, c	7	0	14
[illegible], g	4	0	8
Vadner, g	2	0	4
Total	16	2	28

Baltz Pajama (34)

	FG	FP	TP
Braun, f	2	0	4
Port, f	4	2	10
H. Baltz, c	2	1	5
L. Bock, g	4	1	9
D. Boyce, g	3	0	6
Total	15	4	34

Score at end of first half—Baltz 18, Leonard 8. Fouls committed—Leonard 12, Baltz 7. Referee, Van Etten; timekeeper, G. Geisler; time of halves, 15 minutes.

Thursday's schedule at the municipal auditorium is:

K. of C. vs. Barmanns, 7 o'clock.

Hercules vs. Leonards, 8 o'clock.

Fullers vs. Boston Cleaners, 9 o'clock.

The official lists of leading scorers and standings of the clubs are as follows:

League Standing

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Barmanns	5	1	.833
Baltz	4	2	.600
Leonards	3	3	.500
Hercules	2	3	.400
Knights	2	5	.400
Runneys	0	5	.000

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Uptown Merchants	5	0	1.000
Elks	3	1	.750
Forsts	3	2	.600
YTA	2	2	.500
Boston Cleaners	1	3	.250
Kalamazoo	2	3	.400
Fullers	0	5	.000

White Eagles Trim Ballston Quintet

The White Eagles, due to battle the High Falls Firemen at their hall Thursday, ran up a 48-26 victory over the Ballston Spa club in White Eagle Hall Tuesday night as Walt Tatarzewski, Paulie Argulewicz and Leo Subolts starred in the point making.

Early in the game, the Eagles took the lead and held it throughout, despite several attempts by the Spas to rally. Bargovic made 10 points for the visitors.

In the preliminary Forsts defeated the Blackbirds, 23-20.

Next Tuesday, the White Eagles will be hosts to the Saugerties M. & F. quintet.

Last night's boxscores.

White Eagles (48)

	FG	FP	TP
W. Tatarzewski, f	6	0	12
L. Subolts, f	5	0	10
J. Lukaszewski, c	2	0	4
J. Nalepa, g	1	0	2
K. Janasiewicz, g	1	0	2
F. Tatarzewski, f	3	0	6
P. Argulewicz, g	6	0	12
	24	0	48

Ballston Spa (26)

	FG	FP	TP
Bargovic, f	4	2	10
Wager, f	4	0	8
Jankowski, c	3	0	6
Murray, c	1	0	2
Ziemienski, g	0	0	0
	12	2	26

Score at end of first half—16-6 White Eagles leading. Fouls committed—White Eagles 8, Ballston Spas 4. Referee—Carpino. Timekeeper—Prucnal. Time of halves—12 minutes.

Blackbirds (20)

	FG	FP	TP
Lenehan, f	1	0	2
J. Perry, f	2	0	4
A. Geuss, f	1	0	2
Zeen, c	1	1	3
Keiser, g	2	0	4
L. Geuss, g	1	1	3
Stanley, g	1	0	2
	9	2	20

Forsts (23)

	FG	FP	TP
Mauer, f	0	0	0
Uhl	2	0	4
Norton, f	2	0	4
Woods	2	1	5
Terpening, c	2	2	6
Menzel, g	2	2	6
Bradford, g	1	0	2
	9	5	23

Score at end of first half—11-9 Forsts leading. Fouls committed—Forsts 6, Blackbirds 8. Referee—C. Cline. Timekeeper—R. Geuss. Time of halves—20 minutes.

Falls Firemen Hosts to Eagles On Thursday Night

Thursday night the White Eagles will be at Firemen's Hall in High Falls to play a return game with the villagers. The fire laddies are anxious to even the series with the Eagles and a hot contest is expected. The Eagles beat them by four points the last time out. The Firemen trounced the Jacobson Shirt Factory five last Thursday 51 to 22. There will be a preliminary at 7:30 and dancing after the games.

Easy Workouts For Easterners

San Francisco, Dec. 28 (AP)—While western football stars, training for the Shrine charity game here January 2, headed into a scrimmage session today, the eastern coaches held their lads to a strictly take-it-easy program.

Alarmed by injuries and ailments to six of their 22 eastern players, co-coaches Andy Kerr of Colgate and Bernie Bierman of Minnesota, have ruled out scrimmage until east meets west in Kezar Stadium.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

White Plains, N. Y.—Eddie Brink, 139, Scranton, Pa., outpointed Joe Dejesus, 125, Puerto Rico, (8).

New York—Bernie Friedkin, 134½, New York, outpointed Jerry Mazza, 134, New York, (8).

New York—Leonard Del Genio, 144½, New York, outpointed Andre Jessurun, 147½, New York, (8).

WRESTLING LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Newark, N. J.—Frank Brown, Washington, D. C., planed Abe Kashey, Paterson, N. J., (10:03). No weights announced.

Reading, Pa.—Ace Gordon, 205, Boston, pinned Herman Schultz, 205, Germany, (23:19).

Practices for All-Star Contests

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 28 (AP)—Football warriors of the north and south, who will play a "blue and gray" all-star game here January 2 for charity arranged their first workouts at Cramton Bowl today with the temperature down in the 20's.

Coaches Frank Thomas of Alabama and Jack Meagher of Auburn, both Notre Dame graduates and exponents of the Rockne shift, arrived late yesterday, a day ahead of their 22-man squad of "Grays" from 13 Southern Colleges.

Minneapolis—Bronko Nagurski, 237, International Falls, Minn., pinned Joe Savoldi, 212, Harvert, Mich., (28.13).

Sonja Henie Is Skiing Advocate

Although Miss Sonja Henie centered her public career on figure skating and motion pictures, she has never lost the enthusiasm she had as a child for skiing. Her childhood was spent in the very shadow of the famous Hollmenkollen ski jumping hill in Oslo and Sonja was a skier before she took up skating.

"It is a pleasure to see how many children in this country have taken an interest in skiing," says Miss Henie, who will bring her Hollywood Ice Revue to Madison Square Garden January 16 to 21. "I noticed during the Christmas holidays that more and more youngsters are taking up the sport. It is invigorating and there is no exercise which will be of more benefit to a youngster's health than skiing."

New ensembles, numbers and ballet groups have been added this year and the attractive skating genius regards the present revue as her most finished production.

Winter Sports At Rosendale

The winter sports season officially opened in Rosendale over the Christmas holiday with the principal activity centering around Williams Lake where the Polar Bear Club went in for its first winter swim in the ice pool on Sunday afternoon.

Ice skating provided the major attraction for many visitors to the town over the week-end. A large rink was cleared on Williams Lake and a great many people donned their skates for the first time this season.

The rink will be open every day and night of the season. Flood lights have been installed and music accompanies the skaters.

Budge-Vines Is a Sellout

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—The first Don Budge-Ellsworth Vines pro tennis match, scheduled next Tuesday at Madison Square Garden, already is a financial record breaker according to Promoter Jack Harris. A week before the match, Harris says, the advance sale amounted to $14,858, a record for tennis at the Garden.

King, Queen of Tennis

ALICE MARBLE AND DONALD BUDGE

They were the queen and king of American tennis. Budge voted the Man of the Year in sports in the AP national poll, scored a "grand slam," winning the world's four major singles titles. He enabled the U. S. to defend the Davis cup and shortly afterwards turned professional.

Duke's Problem in Bowl Game Is Southern California's Speed

By PAUL ZIMMERMAN

Pasadena, Calif., Dec. 28 (AP)—Duke's big problem come January 2 and the Rose Bowl football game will be to cope with Southern California's speed, if the scant survey made by western observers comes true.

Of course the Pacific slope experts usually are guilty of underestimating the invaders and going overboard with the west's team in these annual clashes. More often than not they have been wrong.

But the fact remains that the Duke workouts here have given some basis for the opinion Coach Howard Jones' team will not only outweigh but also outspeed the Blue Devils.

Cam Coach Wallace Wade may be guilty of letting a hint drop here and there in this direction for purposes not entirely obscure, and if this is true somebody is apt to be surprised.

Lots of Speed

The Trojans will all their weight superiority have plenty of speed. There are few top backs in the country with more durr in their feet than Mickey Anderson, Bill Sangster and Jack Banta to name three. And those big linemen who average better than 200 pounds—especially the ends—have shown considerable speed.

Coach Wade may be worried, especially in the face of speed shown by his squad in the open practice session. It is not a disguise. But he probably knows what to do about Southern California's strength as the past Rose Bowl record of two wins and a tie would indicate.

Not exactly a loquacious individual, the Blue Devils' coach dropped a few ideas on football subjects at a fanning bee with some of his visiting friends of the Rose Bowl precincts.

For example he must be convinced his great punter Eric Tipton, has his tasks cut out. Coach Wade isn't ready to condemn the Notre Dame quarterback who elected to run instead of kick on fourth down in Troy's 13 to 0 victory over the Irish here several weeks ago.

"The Trojans have shown their ability in returning kicks for touchdowns as Granny Lansdell did against Ohio State and Washington," Wade explained.

It was apparent the Duke coach made a mental note to caution Tipton again today to place his kicks where Lansdell isn't.

Power Plays?

In the next breath Wade said: "Show me the team that intercepted the most passes in a game and I'll show you the winner and this is true 99 times out of 100."

Those who heard the statement felt sure Coach Wade has definite plans in mind to cope with Southern California's aerial attack, which functioned better as the season just past went along.

What Wade failed to discuss was the matter of Southern California's power plays plus Troy's fast-breaking reverses.

Of course, should such an item come before a close caucus the Duke mentor could stand on his team's season's record—unbeaten, untied, unscored upon.

Bruins Score Over The Maple Leafs

(By The Associated Press)

The Boston Bruins forwards apparently would like to share in some of the publicity goalie Frank Brimsek and the defensemen who have given him such good protection have been getting for all those shutouts.

At least, it looks like that when the Bruins, an outstanding defensive club through most of the National Hockey League season suddenly broke out in a scoring rush against the Toronto Maple Leafs last night. They walloped the Leafs 8 to 2, equalling the season scoring record and increased their lead over the threatening New York Rangers to four points.

The Chicago Blackhawks moved up a notch in the standings by trimming the hapless Montreal Canadiens, 4-1. The victory moved the Hawks from a fourth-place tie with Toronto into third-place tie with the New York Americans.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

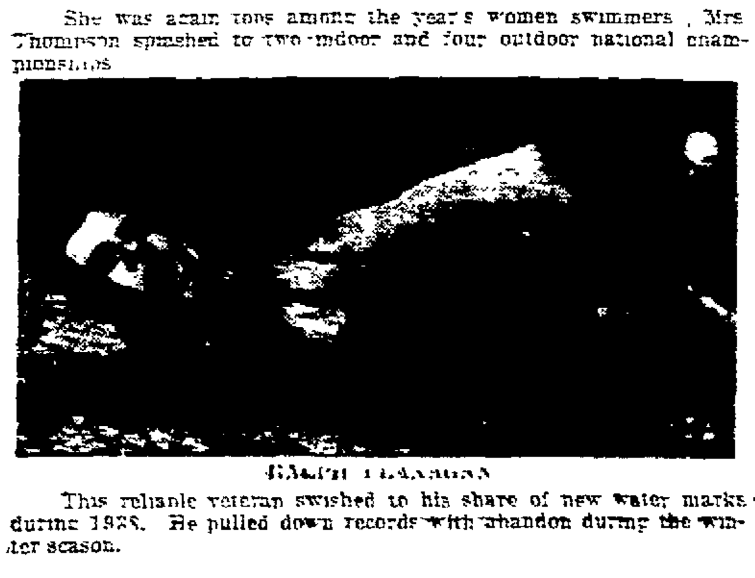
(By The Associated Press)

Illinois 60, Manhattan 47.
Minnesota 49, N. Y. U. 22.
Cornell 52, Canisius 32.
Nebraska 33, U. C. L. A. 30.
California 49, Ohio State 35.

Aquatic Stars of '38

KATHERINE RAWLS THOMPSON

She was again tops among the year's women swimmers. Mrs. Thompson smashed to two indoor and four outdoor national championships.



RALPH FLANAGAN

This reliable veteran swished to his share of new water marks during 1938. He pulled down records with abandon during the winter season.

K.H.S. Swamps Saugerties As Dubin Stars, by 45-16

The Kingston High School basketball team's pressure valve broke loose again last night at the municipal auditorium and the Saugerties High representatives suffered the consequences by a crushing 45 to 16 count. Milt Dubin, ace backcourt player of the Maroons, although not completing the game, was high scorer with nine points. Bob Naudain with eight took the scoring honors for the Cahillmen.

Taking Saugerties over the hurdles for the second time in as many weeks the Maroon-clad warriors of the court extended their winning streak for two seasons to 16 games. By this victory the Kiasmen have still failed to lose in any game on the auditorium boards since going there for home games.

Milt Dubin, guard of the team was shot in last night's brawl. His fast-stepping passing and shooting sparked the locals until he was ejected due to four personal fouls. Dubin really reached his peak during the second session. Continuously his checking broke up the opponents' play. On one play Milt took the ball at the lower end of the court, dribbled through the entire Saugerties five and then neatly snuggled the pill through the hoop for two points.

During the opening minutes of the third period Ro Hallenbeck, who was held scoreless by Ray Van Buren and Ray Lindhurst, sprained his ankle and was carried from the floor. The Saugerties youth required medical aid.

Kingston swept into the lead right at the start with Dubin registering a neat layup following the initial tip. Milt took the ball from Van Buren and raced in to score. Andy Murphy's foul made it 3-0. On another nice pass, this time from Jess Shultis, Harry Flowers finally reached the scoring ledger with a pushup and then Dubin pumped in a foul and set flip to make it 8-0. Kingston's high-powered basketeers continued their sweep as Flowers romped in with a pair of deuces while Murphy added the final two Kingston markers with a solo dash down the side lanes.

Throughout the opening stanza Saugerties was crippled by the Kiasmen who were never troubled with the North Ulstermen. As the quarter neared the closing mark the Cahillmen broke loose on numerous occasions but failed to register on pop shots.

Maroon Landslide

As the second canto got under way Ray Lindhurst, supplanted Harry Flowers and "Tuffy" Williams came in for Martino in complete contrast to the first period the play both clubs took to the ragged end of basketball at the beginning of the middle period. Lindhurst, Van Buren and Shultis broke in, however, but missed tough flips which bounced recklessly off the netting. Kingston's fast passing took a downgrade trend though until Jess Shultis lobbed in two perfect shots following Naudain's flip. Shultis' markers made it 15-2.

Naudain, the spark plug of the visitors came back for another of his sparkling drop-in specialties after Shultis twin set flips. Three outstanding plays came up next as Ray Van Buren took Lindhurst's toss from mid-court, dribbled in and chucked the ball on a wheel-around through the hoop. Lindhurst poked in another beauty on a swift pass from Shultis but the real play came on Dubin's solo through the entire Saugerties team. He finished it off with a spectacular shot over his right shoulder. Milt's chuck made it 26-4.

With two minutes to go Dubin added another flip from the side while Andy Murphy polished up the Kingston total for the half to 30 with his pushup. Naudain, who collected eight points, closed the scoring for the initial half with a close-up pivot which just found the twine. Kingston led by 30 to 6.

Hallenbeck Injured

Buddy Hughes entered the fracas as the third period ended by taking over the left forward slot when Lindhurst moved up to center for Ray Van Buren. With Shultis, Dubin and Hughes now patrolling for the Kiasmen Saugerties was still on the outside looking in.

After Murphy took Hughes' perfect pass for a layup count Roy Hallenbeck was bumped near the press table and had to be carried from the floor. Coach Cahill said he suffered a sprained ankle. Last week Roy was the star of the game, assaulting the wicket for 12 markers.

Robinson and Shultis added four markers to the count after Hallenbeck's injury. Buddy Hughes took over on the next play and cleaned in with a long looper which moved Kingston's total to 37. Shultis and Lindhurst followed Hughes' deuce with two more layups. Saugerties hapless warriors finally stopped the rally on the part of Reynolds who snapped the cords for a foul and set shot to make it 39 to 10 as the third period ended. "Whiskers" Dougherty came in for Dubin, who committed his fourth foul on Reynolds' shot.

Coach Kias sent in Bill Strubie, Bill Relyea, Ed Allen and Grant with the final session coming up for Shultis, Lindhurst, Hughes and Murphy.

Although there was plenty of wild tossing by both sides, Kingston came up with some pretty shots, especially by Ed Allen. Ed found the hoop for a free shot for the first point of the period which was followed by Relyea's twister from the side. DuBois offered some resistance to the Kiasmen's overwhelming drive with a mixture of layups and pushups. Naudain's fouls and Allen's set flip from center completed the scoring for the battle which ended Kingston 45, Saugerties 16.

Kingston (45)

	FG.	FP.	TP.
Shultis, rf	3	1	7
Allen, rf	1	1	3
Flowers, lf	3	0	6
Lindhurst, lf	2	0	4
Hughes, lf	1	1	3
Relyea, lf	1	0	2
Van Buren, c	2	0	4
Grant, c	0	0	0
Dubin, rg	4	1	9
Dougherty, lg	0	0	0
Murphy, lg	3	1	7
Strubie, lg	0	0	0
Total	20	5	45

Saugerties (16)

	FG	FP	TP
Naudain, rf	3	2	8
Robinson, lf	0	2	2
DuBois, lf	2	0	4
Hallenbeck, c	0	0	0
Sorge, c	0	0	0
Martino, rg	0	0	0
Williams, rg	0	0	0
Van Voorhis, lg	0	0	0
Fluscher, lg	0	0	0
Reynolds, lg	1	0	2
Total	6	4	16

Score at end of first half, 30-6 Kingston leading. Fouls committed Kingston 12, Saugerties 7. Referee Stevens. Timekeepers, "Dutch" Craw, Dick Whiston. Time of halves 16 minutes.

KHS Jayvees (14)

	FG.	FP	TP
Herrick, rf	0	0	0
Ferguson, rf	0	1	1
Ball, lf	2	0	4
Kunst, lf	0	0	0
Saltman, c	0	0	0
Brinnier, c	2	0	4
Kennedy, rg	0	0	0
Benjamin, rg	0	0	0
Fisher, lg	0	0	0
Luedtke, lg	2	1	5
Total	6	2	14

Saugerties (18)

	FG	FP	TP
Brink, rf	2	1	5
Garrison, lf	0	0	0
Van Etten, lf	3	0	6
Kenny, c	1	1	3
Overbaugh, c	0	0	0
Lawless, rg	2	0	4
Waye, lg	0	0	0
Mauro, lg	0	0	0
Total	8	2	18

Score at end of first half, 10-8 Kingston leading. Fouls committed Kingston 4, Saugerties 3. Referee Toffel. Timekeeper, Harold Newman. Time of halves 16 minutes.

Bender Is Star Of Indoor Tennis

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—Sixteen-year-old Richard Bender, of Elizabeth, N. J., who attends the Pingry School, has begun to make a name for himself as an upsetter in the national indoor tennis championship.

Bender, last year boys champion, opened his campaign for junior title Monday by whipping Bernard Jacoby, highly rated New York high school player in a long three-set match. Yesterday he needed only two sets to dispose of Everett Bishop of Plainfield, N. J., 6-1, 6-2. His next opponent is Joseph Ertle of St. Peter's Prep, also unseeded.

If Bender gets past that match he likely will come up against Bill Gillespie, fifth-seeded player from Atlanta, who is a freshman at Duke University. Gillespie yesterday trimmed Ted Schein of City College, New York 6-2, 6-1 and opposes Orme Wilson of Harvard in the third round.

Most of the seeded players including Joey Fishbach, defending champion, and Seymour Greenberg of Chicago who made an especially good impression came through their second-round matches yesterday.

Teams Ready for Hockey Finals

Lake Placid, N. Y., Dec. 28 (AP)—Cornell and Williams hockey teams were ready today for the finals of the annual Lake Placid Club invitation intercollegiate hockey tourney.

Scheduled to meet tonight, the pair bowled over Hamilton and Middlebury, respectively, in the semi-final round last night after the latter two teams had eliminated Union and Massachusetts State.

Although Williams' score over Middlebury, 9 to 1, was much more impressive than Cornell's 2 to 0 victory, the big red team is highly regarded as the next tournament champion.

Waltzing through St. Lawrence 11 to 1, in their opening game, the lads from above Cayuga's waters displayed a brilliant defensive game in winning their semi-final joust. Middlebury played against Williams with only a nine-man squad and was hopelessly outclassed.

The Middlebury sextet reached the semi-finals after losing, 1 to 0, to Union in an afternoon game that was given to the Vermont club after officials decided Union forfeited their victory by using freshmen players.

HOCKEY RESULTS

(By The Associated Press)

National League

Chicago 4, Montreal 1.
Boston 8, Toronto 2.

International American League

No games scheduled.

American Association

Kansas City 2, Wichita 1 (overtime).
St. Louis 2, Tulsa 1.

Private Drills for Orange Bowl Teams

Miami, Fla., Dec. 28 (AP)—The boards of strategy of both the University of Tennessee and Oklahoma football teams ordered the gates locked on practice sessions today as the players buckled down to final serious training for Orange Bowl encounter January 2.

Across Biscayne Bay in Miami Beach, ten miles from the Tennessee camp, Coach Tom Stidham of Oklahoma asserted with a grin "We're going to try to figure out some way of holding the score down."

Tennessee's Major Bob Neyland apparently hoped to use the pass threat as a means of opening the Oklahoma defense for which he has a wholesome respect.

"Any team that can hold ten opponents to 12 points," he said, "must have something."

KELLY'S CORNER • By JOE KELLY

Busy Slate for Colonials—Braddock's Friends Frown

Nice weather for the Williams Lake Polar Bear Club...The White Eagles had an easy time with those Ballston Spa cagers last night...Tomorrow the Eagles go to High Falls for another tussle with the Firemen...The High School Varsity scoring last night was pretty evenly distributed. Milt Dubin was out in front with nine...Too bad the Jayvees slipped...Spent a pleasant evening with the Gordons, Phil and Joe and Joe McGrath of Phoenicia at Huling's Barn the other night...Were they enthused over the snow...These sports from the town of ski hills and toboggan slides are anxious about a busy season...Ben Toffel walked off with those scoring honors in the City Basketball League last night...He made 14 for the Elks.

Port chalked up 10 for the Baltz Club and Celuch a like number for the Leonards...The next league games are on Thursday at the auditorium.

The Ellenville Recreations will be at the Central bowling alleys, Railroad avenue, tonight, for a skirmish with the Crystal Beauty Shoppe keglers...The Ellenvillers recently defeated the Newburgh Royals, leaders of the Hudson Valley League...Starting time of the alley duel is 8 o'clock...Boxing fans are anxious about those local youngsters matched for Friday bouts in the auditorium: Charley Raigins, Monk Armstrong, Tiny Townsend...Carmine Fatta should have his hands full with that little ball of fire Harvey Lacelle...But what if Fatta catches him with one of those ringery left hooks!...Next week is a busy one for the Colonials...They are billed for five games...Sunday at Washington, Monday at the auditorium against Troy, Wednesday at Troy, Thursday back at the local hall against the Firestones and Saturday in Philadelphia...This Friday night the Sedranmen perform at Wilkes-Barre...Business surely is rushing...All we hope is that it isn't rushing too fast...A lot of the boys who put a few greens on the Colonials Monday are still weeping. You never can tell!

Honey Russell of the Jewels is sort of ladylike concerning his age.... He's been 29 for the last 10 years.... Slipped one over on Announcer Hymie Adachefsky.... And, did the fans catch on.... Don't forget, you basketball addicts, that game with the Firestones is next week, not tomorrow.... The date is January 5.... Mike Weiner, our local sprint ace, is tuning up on the "Y" track for the outdoor season.... It's far away, but time marches on, in fact, sneaks along, and the early bird catches the worm.... There's a big howl against that proposed Lou Nova-Jimmy Braddock match in the Hippodrome.... Jimmy is 33, has been out of the ring for a year and only has a stout heart to carry him along.... Why not Johnny Paychek of Iowa or that hard-hitting young Irisher, Pat Comiskey, from Jersey, for Lou? ask the experts.... Joe Louis arrives from Chicago today to start training for the fight with John Henry Lewis.... Al Weill has posted $1,500 with the Commish for a Lou Ambers-Henry Armstrong battle for the lightweight title.... Carnegie Tech is gaining prestige in the south.... The boys are no longer so sure the Sugar Bowl will be a push-over for Texas Christian.... On the west coast, Duke is gaining plenty of support too.... The odds are changing for both games.... Larry Goldberg, one of Kingston High School's first football stars, now a Chicago business man, helped his Dad and Mother, Mr. and Mrs. William Goldberg, formerly of Kingston, celebrate their 45th wedding anniversary at Miami Beach, Fla., Christmas Day.

The Weather

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 28, 1938

Sun rises, 7:37 a. m.; sets, 4:24 p. m.

Weather, clear.

The Temperature

The lowest temperature registered by The Freeman thermometer last night was 25 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 27 degrees.

Weather Forecast

New York city and vicinity — Clear and continued cold tonight. Thursday increasing cloudiness with slowly rising temperature. Light snow Thursday night. Fresh northwest to west winds diminishing and becoming southwest Thursday. Lowest temperature tonight about 15.

CONTINUED COLD

Eastern New York — Fair and colder in central and north portion tonight. Thursday increasing cloudiness and not so cold with light snow at night.

Soda Fountain Is Forum For Young Folks of Land

CHICAGO.—The youth of the land gathers at the corner drug store for discussions of topics ranging from Sally's latest romance to weighty international problems.

The neighborhood gang rapidly is disappearing in favor of the soda fountain forum. The changing picture of young American life was painted by Roy Crane, assistant general sales manager of the Liquid Carbonic corporation of Chicago, at the drug show here in connection with the annual convention of the National Association of Retail Druggists.

There has been a big swing toward soda fountain gatherings in the last several years.

"The whole attitude of youth," Crane said, "is undergoing a change for the better. The gang spirit is giving in to the desire for more wholesome activities."

Annual War With Eagles Again Is Won by Storks

ISTANBUL.—Storks are the winners of this year's battle with the eagles in the mountainous regions of Brussa, in northwest Turkey. Each year since the warfare began in 1933 the birds have lined up for battle, with myriads of corpses from both camps left on the fields. The storks are always the first to attack, and some say they have won every fight. Thousands of people assemble in the region to watch the extraordinary spectacle.

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Lives in House Built of Junk

Aged Man, Penniless, Jobless, Is Happy Now in Shack in the Woods.

CLEVELAND.—Christian Scheerer, 70 years old, who believes "you don't have to have money to be happy," lives in a sheet-iron shack assembled from a rubbish pile, and eats soup and toast, just to prove it.

Scheerer, aged, penniless, jobless, has built his own world in a woods on the grounds of the Warrensville infirmary, where he had lived for 12 years.

The old man tired of "just sitting and talking" six years ago, began to build a place of his own, back in the woods.

From scraps of wood, sheet metal, wallboard—almost anything he could collect—he built his small home.

Modest Wants Filled.

"I have just about everything a man could want," he said proudly, offering a salvaged chair—neatly mended. "Everything comes from the dump, but I have all the best improvements."

The cabin has three windows—of three different sizes.

"The little one," he said, smiling, "is to let me see the rain. The middle one is for snow and the big one to let in the sunshine."

Behind the cabin, Scheerer has built an arbor, now covered with a wild grapevine. Beside the arbor is the outdoor fireplace—where the self-reliant old man cooks his own meals.

"I cook up vegetables from my own garden," he said, "and eat soup and toast."

Builds Second Cabin.

Scheerer is putting the finishing touches on his "annex"—a second cabin in the woods, which he is building of packing boxes saved over a period of five years. It, too, will be finished and furnished with windows, hardware and furniture from the rubbish pile.

In the woods surrounding his cabin there are 12 beech trees on which Scheerer has written the names of his friends who have visited him. He has signed each of the trees with his trade mark—a rising sun.

The inside walls of the Scheerer cabin are like the pages of a diary, for there he records the simple happenings of his life. For the most part these inscriptions deal with the weather and the old man's diet. The important date is June 19, 1938—for that is the day he went downtown—the only time in 12 years.

"There wasn't nothin' much down there, though," he said, chuckling, "I was mighty glad to get home."

Room Hewn Out of Ice Expedition Laboratory

LONDON.—An expedition has returned from Switzerland to England after five months at work in one of the strangest laboratories in the world—a room hewn out of solid ice more than 11,000 feet up the Jungfrau.

The scientists, who were studying the composition of glaciers, hollowed a tunnel in the face of the ice and enlarged it at the end into a laboratory 10 feet wide by 18 feet long. Slabs of ice formed their work benches and they bedded heavy machines into place simply by freezing them to the ice. This ice room was electrically lighted; double doors kept it at a constant temperature below freezing all summer.

Five Cambridge scientists formed the expedition, led by G. Seligman. Its main purpose, he said, was to discover how the ice surface runs beneath the permanent snow on a glacier.

"We lowered ourselves on rope ladders down crevasses to the depth of 100 feet," he said, "and then tunneled into the walls, putting specimens of what we found there into thermos flasks and taking them to our laboratory cut in the ice. There the specimens were studied in many ways under microscopes and polarized light."

Bust of Napoleon Found, Believed Work of Chaudet

NEW ORLEANS.—A bust of Napoleon, believed to have been executed by the French sculptor, Chaudet, has been found in a New Orleans antique shop by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pardee of Cannes, France.

The bust is unsigned but the Pardees, who are students of relics of the French general, said it has certain similarities of the other Chaudet pieces. The bust was placed at the disposal of the Louisiana State museum in the Cabildo.

Mother Provides for Ten on WPA Check

BRUNSWICK, MAINE. — Efficiency experts might well admire the ability of Mrs. Alfreda Bernier, 34-year-old mother of 10 children, who is making a career of big family housekeeping on a WPA salary.

Though she bakes 25 loaves of bread weekly, cooks 50 pounds of potatoes and prepares other foor proportionately, Mrs. Bernier finds time to dress her youngsters neatly and keep the apartment so tidy it is the envy of visitors.

Bank Deposits Soar

New York (AP)—Bank deposits of individuals and corporations soared to a new record high during 1938, as a result of the government's pump-priming spending. Adjusted deposits of federal reserve member banks in 101 leading centers jumped to $16,100,000,000, almost $2,000,000,000 above the level only nine months earlier.

EX-AUDITOR AT DRUG FIRM PROBE

John H. McGloon, (left) of Fairfield, Conn., vice president in charge of accounting for McKesson & Robbins, shown with his attorney, Robert C. Rand, as he testified in New York in the state's investigation of the affairs of the drug firm. Before joining the firm operated by the late F. Donald Coster-Musica, McGloon said he was an accountant with Price Waterhouse & Co., the firm handling McKesson & Robbins' auditing.

MUSICA SECRETARY TESTIFIES

Katherine Sykora, who was secretary to Robert Dietrich-Musica, youngest of the four Musica brothers in the McKesson & Robbins drug firm, is shown being escorted from the federal building in New York, where she was questioned by Acting U. S. Attorney Gregory F. Noonan. She was expected to return later for questioning before a grand jury.

Slants at Science

Why Hairs Turn Gray

Richmond, Va., Dec. 28 (AP)—Why hairs turns grey, zebras are striped, we have blondes and brunettes and colored and white races of men has a new explanation.

It is an effect of use of oxygen, as explained to the American Association for the Advancement of Science here today by Prof. Frank H. J. Figge, of the University of Maryland School of Medicine.

Using salamanders in his experiments Figge found that the ability to be colored is always present. Whether the color shows up depends on how much oxygen the cell, the tiny bit of tissue containing the pigment, can use.

Tides Weld Breaks

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—The ceaseless pounding of ocean tides is welding the breaks along the New England beaches which were ripped asunder by hurricane and tidal wave last September 21.

So the semi-centennial meeting of the Geological Society of America was told today in a paper prepared by Doctors Robert L. Nichols and Lawrence Goldthwait of Tufts College.

They predicted the beaches on Long Island, Block Island and along the Rhode Island shore would be partly restored by nature "in a few years or sooner."

"In any case," the New England geologists added after their collaborative study, "although it may take longer to completely fill in many of these breaks, the beaches will be as good for bathing and recreation next summer as heretofore.

"As soon as a break in a beach is formed, a conflict starts. Tidal currents going through the break tend to keep it open while the waves and shore currents by drifting sand into it tend to close it. The relative strength of these forces determines the speed with which any break will heal."

While many breaks will heal quickly, some, they said, may take a century or more.

New Treatment for Disease

New York, Dec. 28 (AP)—A new treatment for encephalopathy—organic deterioration of brain tissue caused by too much alcohol—has been developed at Bellevue Hospital.

Dr. Norman Jolliffe told the Association for Research in Nervous and Mental Diseases yesterday that 14 of 16 patients treated with nicotinic acid had recovered.

Previously, Dr. Jolliffe said, nearly all cases of encephalopathy had proved fatal.

Triple-Billionaires to Come

Richmond, Va., Dec. 28 (AP)—One or two fortunes of two or three billion dollars, marking the coming of the first American triple-billionaire, were predicted within 30 years to the American Association for the Advancement of Science here today.

The forecast was made by Carl Snyder, New York economist. It was based on the proviso that the system by which wealth has been created in historic times will survive that long.

The present system is likely to continue, he concluded from a study of it measured by the pareto curve. This is a mathematical method invented by the Italian economist, Vilfredo Pareto, to show the distribution of wealth, talents or other things in an entire population.

Measured by this curve the poor have not been getting poorer and the rich richer. Wealth distributed has not changed much.

"George Washington," said Mr. Snyder, "or Stephen Girard or even Thomas Hancock, the rich men of colonial days, amassed as great a fortune, for their generation, as John D. Rockefeller or Henry Ford in our own."

Of 40,000 millionaires in 1929 income tax returns, he said only around two per cent derived their money from inherited fortunes. In 25 of the greatest fortunes in each generation since the American Revolution there is but a single instance of great wealth built on a considerable inheritance, he added.

That was the fortune of the late Andrew W. Mellon.

Spoilation of the rich, he thought, would have little effect but "would apparently result in placing untold millions upon the relief rolls permanently."

When a man can't attract attention any other way, he wraps a bandage around his right hand. A bandage always attracts the attention of the people.

On the Radio Day by Day

By O. E. SUTTERFIELD

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8:00—Carlo Morelli
8:30—Drama
9:00—Gabriel Heatter
9:15—London B'de'st
9:30—Orchestra
10:00—Famous Jury Trials
10:30—Music Counter
11:00—News; Weather
11:15—Venuta's Program
11:45—Orchestra
12:00—Orchestra

WJZ—760k
6:00—News; Orchestra
6:15—J. Crawford
6:30—Serenaders
6:45—Lowell Thomas
7:00—Easy Aces
7:15—Mr Keen
7:30—Orchestra
7:45—Orchestra
8:00—Orchestra
8:30—Hobby Lobby
9:00—Magnolia Blossoms
10:00—Minstrel Show
10:30—Wash. Commentators
11:00—News; Orchestra
11:15—Ink Spots
11:30—Orchestra
12:00—Orchestra

WABC—860k
6:00—News; Organ
6:15—Howie Wing
6:30—"Today"
6:45—B. Wood
7:00—County Seat
7:15—Lum & Abner
7:30—Questions & Answers
8:00—Gang Busters
8:30—P. Whiteman
9:00—Star Theatre
10:00—It Can Be Done
10:30—Buddy Clark
11:00—News
11:10—News; Orch.
11:30—Orchestra
12:00—Orchestra

WGY—790k
6:00—News; Musical Program
6:25—News; Serenaders
6:45—Sports
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy
7:15—E. C. Hill
7:30—Jim Healy, News
7:45—Don't You Believe It
8:00—One Man's Family
8:30—Tom Dorsey
9:00—Town Hall
10:00—Musical Klass
11:00—News; Melody Time
11:15—Wanted Music
12:00—Orchestra

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29

DAYTIME

WEAF—660k
6:30—Forty Winks
8:00—Herth Trio
8:15—Gene & Glen
8:30—Do You Remember
8:45—Radio Rubes
9:00—News; Happy Jack
9:15—Family Man
9:30—Band Goes to Town
9:45—E. MacHugh
10:00—To be announced
10:25—John's Other Wife
10:30—Just Plain Bill
10:45—Woman in White
11:00—David Harum
11:15—L. Jones
11:30—Young Widder Brown
11:45—Road of Life
12:00—Time; Harding's wife
12:15—O'Neills
12:30—Timeless Truths Made Timely
12:45—News; Market & Weather
1:00—Jean Ellington
1:15—Escorts & Betty
1:30—Words & Music
1:45—Those Happy Gilmans
2:00—Betty & Bob
2:15—Grimm's Daughter
2:30—Valiant Lady
2:45—Church Hymns
3:00—Mary Marlin
3:15—Ma Perkins
3:30—Pepper Young
3:45—Guiding Light
4:00—Backstage Wife
4:15—Stella Dallas
4:30—Vic & Sade
4:45—Girl Alone
5:00—Dick Tracy
5:15—Dramatic Sketch
5:30—Jack Armstrong
5:45—Little Orphan Annie

WOR—710k
6:30—Good Morning Neighbors
6:55—News
7:00—Morning Moods
7:15—Sorey's Orch.
8:00—News
8:15—Red River Dave
8:30—Vic and Sade
8:45—Goldbergs
9:00—Modern Rhythms
9:15—Lytell's Adventures
9:30—Syncopators
9:45—Women's Clubs
10:00—Pure Food Hr.
11:00—At Your Service
11:15—Georgia Crackers
11:30—Get Thin to Music
11:45—Gloomchasers
12:00—Musical Clubs
12:15—Voice of Farm
12:30—News
12:45—Quiz Club
1:00—Health Talk
1:15—Marriage License Romances
1:30—Orchestra
2:00—Charioteers
2:15—Girl from Maine
2:30—Fitzgerald's Revue
3:00—Martha Deane
3:45—David Harum
4:00—News
4:15—Myrt & Marge
4:30—Hilltop House
4:45—Restful Rhythms
5:00—Women Make News
5:15—World's Fair
5:30—Little Orphan Annie
5:45—Geology and the Layman

WJZ—760k
6:30—Morning Patrol
7:55—News
8:00—Barbenders
8:15—Vocal Vogues
8:30—R. Leibert
8:45—Jack & Loretta
9:00—News; Breakfast Club
9:15—Woman of Tomorrow
9:30—Breakfast Club
10:00—Story of Month
10:15—Jane Arden
10:30—Smilin' Ed McConnell
10:45—Central City
11:00—Mary Marlin
11:15—Vic & Sade
11:30—Pepper Young
11:45—Dr. W. L. Stidger
12:00—Time; Southernaires
12:15—G. Griffin
12:25—News
12:30—Farm & Home Hr
1:15—Farm Service
1:30—Peables Takes Charge
1:45—Orchestra
2:00—Social Science
2:30—Opera Selections
3:00—Grand Slam Revue
3:30—Hoosier Hop
3:45—Between Book Ends
4:00—Chamber Music
4:30—Club Matinee
4:55—News; Orchestra
5:15—Glenn Darwin
5:30—Don Winslow
5:45—Tom Mix

WABC—860k
6:30—Farm News
7:00—Morning Almanac
7:45—News
8:00—Odd Side of News; Songs & Patter
8:15—Deep River Boys
8:30—E. Dick & J. Shannon
8:45—R. Brine
9:00—R. Maxwell
9:15—Yodeling Cowboy
9:25—News
9:30—Girl Interne
9:45—"Bachelor's Children"
10:00—Pretty Kitty Kelly
10:15—Myrt & Marge
10:30—Hilltop House
10:45—Stepmother
11:00—Romany Trail
11:15—Scattergood Baines
11:30—The Big Sister
11:45—Aunt Jenny's Stories
12:00—Kate Smith
12:15—Nancy James
12:30—Romance of Helen Trent
12:45—"Our Gal, Sunday"
1:00—Goldbergs
1:15—Life Can Be Beautiful
1:30—Road of Life
1:45—This Day Is Ours
2:00—Irene Beasley
2:15—Orchestra
2:30—Army Band
3:00—Symphony Concert
3:30—Music Hour
4:00—4 Clubmen
4:15—Varieties
4:45—R. Carhart
5:00—Reminiscing in Rhythm
5:15—Let's Pretend
5:45—Mighty Show

WGY—790k
7:00—Church in Wildwood
7:15—Top o' Morning
7:30—News; Top o' Morning
7:45—B. Kincaid
8:00—Good News
8:30—Morn. Varieties
8:45—Jane Arden
9:00—Myrt & Marge
9:15—Hilltop House
9:30—Market Basket; News
9:45—Gospel Singer
10:00—Radio City 4
10:15—John's Other Wife
10:30—Just Plain Bill
10:45—Woman in White
11:00—David Harum
11:15—L. Jones
11:30—Young Widow Brown
11:45—Road of Life
Noon—Musical Interlude
12:10—News
12:15—O'Neills
12:30—Farm Paper
1:00—Household Chats
1:15—Music by Cugat
1:30—Houseboat Hannah
1:45—Happy Gilmans
2:00—Betty & Bob
2:15—Grimm's Daughter
2:30—Valiant Lady
2:45—Church Hymns
3:00—Mary Marlin
3:15—Ma Perkins
3:30—Pepper Young
3:45—Guiding Light
4:00—Backstage Wife
4:15—Stella Dallas
4:30—Vic & Sade
4:45—Girl Alone
5:00—Dick Tracy
5:15—Your Family & Mine
5:30—Jack Armstrong
5:45—Little Orphan Annie

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EVENING

WEAF—660k
6:00—Met. Opera Guild
6:15—M. Claire
6:25—News; To be announced
6:45—Sweet & Low
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy
7:15—Varieties
7:30—Schaefer Revue
8:00—Rudy Vallee
9:00—Good News of 1939
10:00—Bing Crosby
11:00—Gliding Swing
11:15—Orchestra
11:25—News; Orchestra
12:00—Orchestra

WOR—710k
6:00—Uncle Don
6:30—News
6:45—Johnson Family
7:00—Sports
7:15—Radie Harris
7:30—Don't You Believe It
7:45—Inside of Sports
8:00—Green Hornet
8:30—Sinfonietta
9:00—Gabriel Heater
9:15—Orchestra
9:30—Famous First Facts
10:00—Concert Revue
10:30—orchestra
11:00—News; Weather
11:15—Orchestra
11:30—Orchestra
11:45—Orchestra
12:00—Orchestra

WJZ—760k
6:00—News; Orchestra
6:15—B. Lane
6:30—Armchair Quartet
6:45—Lowell Thomas
7:00—Easy Aces
7:15—Mr. Keen
7:30—Orchestra
8:00—Interesting Neighbors
8:30—Business Outlook for 1939
9:30—Town Meeting
10:30—People I Have Known
11:00—News; Orchestra
11:30—Orchestra
12:00—Orchestra

WABC—860k
6:00—News; Console Echoes
6:15—Howie Wing
6:30—"Today"
6:45—Religion in Science
7:00—County Seat
7:15—Nan Wynn
7:30—Joe Penner
8:00—Kate Smith
9:00—Major Bowes
10:00—Columbia Workshop
10:30—Americans at Work
11:00—News
11:15—Orchestra
11:30—Orchestra
12:00—Orchestra

WGY—790k
6:00—News; Music
6:25—News; Sing & Swing
6:45—Local History
7:00—Amos 'n' Andy
7:15—Vocal Varieties
7:30—Science Fourm
8:00—Rudy Vallee
9:00—Good News
10:00—Bing Crosby
11:00—News; Tropical Moods
11:15—Wanted Music
12:00—Orchestra

Benefits Aid Sales

Unemployment insurance benefits are believed to have given marked impetus this year to retail Christmas business. The local office of the New York State Employment Service reports it has authorized the payment of 719 benefit checks since December 1. The face value of these checks has ranged from $7 to $15. They are payable to eligible claimants for from three to 16 weeks. The duration of benefits is fixed in accordance with the individual worker's past earnings in covered employment.

Gunmen Are Sought

Teviso, Italy, Dec. 28 (AP).—Police today sought a band of gunmen who held up a branch of the Bank of Italy and got away with 5,000,000 lire (about $250,000) after wounding five bank employes.

Postal Deficit

Washington, Dec. 28 (AP).—Postmaster General Farley said today that free services caused a post office deficit of $43,811,556 for the 1938 fiscal year. Otherwise, his annual report said, the department would have shown a profit of $4,412,821. The free services, Farley said, included carrying of mail free for congressmen, government department and blind persons, subsidization of air mail and other "non-postal functions."

VFW Meeting Tonight

A very important meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the Dugout on East Chestnut street. All members are urged to attend.

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